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THE COUNTRY'S MONEY

Senator Sherman Talks Currency

TO 20,000 CHICAGO CITIZENS

He Denounces the Democratic Wild Cat Note, as Well as Silver.

CHICAGO, October 22.—The largest Republican meeting of the campaign in this city was held tonight in Music Hall and attended by over 20,000 leading Republicans of Chicago and the state and many hundred were turned away.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the Republican Bankers and Merchants of this city.

The chairman of the evening was Henry W. King, and his brief speech was the keynote of the evening. He said the business men of the west had been struck with dismay at the financial plank of the last Democratic platform which, by demanding a repeal of the 10 per cent federal tax on state bank issues, proposed to return to the wild cat and red dog currency of thirty years ago that wrecked the finances of the nation. He introduced Senator John Sherman, who spoke at great length on the questions of the national currency, silver tariff and reciprocity.

He said in part that the national banking system had been so successful that no man lives who ever lost a single dollar by a national bank note. They tell us, he said, that they want more money. Suppose that the government of the United States issue $100,000,000 of notes, to whom would they pay these notes? The poor man who needs more money would not get his share, but the people who hold government bonds and government contractors, etc., would get an increased value. In former times the greatest circulation of bank notes at one time was about $200,000,000 or $300,000,000, and yet to-day there is $1,132,000,000 of paper money in active circulation. One would think that was enough, and when we remember that 95 per cent, and in the city of Chicago 97 per cent of all payments are made in check and other commercial paper. It shows that money is only used in an ordinary way by the people for marketing and the smaller transactions of life. Let the banks break, and who cares? Money is good because the security is in the hands of the government. Every dollar of this money is safe, and now the Democratic party, which for thirty years has done nothing but oppose the action of the Republican party, comes in and demands a restoration of bad money.

The Senator referred to the silver question, saying that $4,000,000 worth of silver is now in sight and $185,000,000 more per year being produced, and yet the wild and crazy proposition is made that the people of the United States enter the market and pay $1 for every 67 cents worth of all silver that may be imported or thrown into the country. The inevitable effect would be at once to demoralize gold and reduce the use to a single silver standard with the result that debts would be cut off one-third. Nothing proposed struck him so hard and severe as this most infernal proposition to open our doors to the free purchase of silver.

The Senator said if the international monetary conference fails to find a solution of the vexed question business men will have either to stand up on the silver standard and banish our gold to foreign lands, or put enough silver in the silver dollar to make it equal in value to the gold dollar. The Senator also spoke at some length on the tariff and reciprocity questions.

Postmaster General Wanamaker and Secretary Noble also spoke briefly. It was after midnight when the meeting closed.

A Trio of Casualties.

GRASS VALLEY, October 22.—This morning a large mass of earth and rock fell upon Thomas Tulo in the Empire mine. His hurts are regarded as dangerous.

Frank Walker was thrown from a buggy last night in Boston ravine and badly hurt on the head and leg. His horse ran five miles down the road toward Bear river, and ran into a double team and wagon, driven by Lewis Dorsey and Willis Church. The two rigs got mixed up in the darkness, and injured one of Dorsey's horses.

George Irving was thrown from his horse while riding a race at Watt park, and had his right arm broken.

The Famous Stamboul.

STOCKTON, October 22.—Stamboul, the famous stallion owned by the Hobart estate, was driven by Walter Maber today against his record of 2.11, and made the mile in 2.10¼. His quarters were 32, 32¾, 33¾, 32¾, the half mile being made 1.04¾. The wind was not favorable for a record breaking mile, but the horse made a great race to beat his mark. He will be driven again next Thursday, and as he is improving fast he should go a better mile.

After the Ghost.

CARSON, Nev., October 22.—Four Arrapaho buck Indians, accompanied by Mohola and Cheyenne Indians, arrived in Carson on their way to Walker lake reservation where they go to learn the ghost dance from the Messiah. The Arrapaho are Washoe, Standing Black Bear and Sitting Bull. The latter is in no way related to the Sioux of that name. They represented a tribe who sold Oklahoma land to the government for $1,600,000.

Reed on Deck.

ALBANY, October 22.—Hon. Thomas B. Reed of Maine addressed a Republican meeting of over 3000 people here tonight. Captain John M. Palmer, ex-commander-in-chief of the G.A.R., presided. The introduction of Reed was a signal for a rousing greeting, and his remarks were frequently interrupted with applause.

Up for Life.

MARYSVILLE, October 22.—W. R. Lane has been convicted of murder in the first degree and sentenced to life imprisonment. Last May he shot and killed Jessie Flowers at a moonlight picnic for being in company with his (Lane's) daughter.

Not a Raisin Section.

PETALUMA, October 22.—About a half of the grape crop in this section has been spoiled by mildew and rot. Wine grapes are selling here at $10 per ton.

No Change.

WASHINGTON, October 22.—The last reports tonight show no change in Mr. Harrison's condition.

SONTAG'S TRIAL.

Nine Jurors Obtained so far—Tedious Proceedings.

In spite of the monotonous proceedings in the Sontag case yesterday the court room was crowded all day. The first matter disposed of was the request of the district attorney that H. H. Boren, the talesman who the day before declared he had had a conversation with the defendant the Friday before the train robbery, be detained as a witness. The court ordered Boren to remain as a witness in the case.

The examination of other talesmen then began. Those who were called to the box were G. C. Trawsek, John Lindsey, Adam Adelebach, W. T. Mattingly, O. M. Thompson, I. H. Elliott, M. Bilby, J. T. Bates, Con Breslin, Jesse Irvine, W. H. Herrington, E. Knapp, James Butler, William Lester, James Cottle and T. B. Cargile.

Of the jurors examined Thursday and yesterday nine were accepted, so there remain three more to obtain. The questions were the same asked last Thursday and nothing new was elicited.

MRS. REDDEN'S WILL.

Relatives Oppose Its Probate—Some Strange Allegations.

A protest to the last will and testament of the late Josephine E. Redden, was filed in the superior court yesterday by Mary R. Kelly, Leah Kelly, John J. Kelly, Lizzie K. Beardslee and others, by their attorneys, Stanton L. Carter and F. H. Short.

The will in question was dated January 11, 1892, and was filed July 30, 1892. The parties above mentioned deny that Josephine E. Redden left a will of that date or any other date. It is denied that she was of sound mind, and it is alleged that she was acting under duress or monacc when she executed the will.

The court is asked to deny the petition to have the will probated, and to declare that it is not the true and genuine will of Josephine E. Redden.

The value of the estate is, according to the petition of T. H. Redden, $4100.

MR. MORDECAI,

YOUR ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ANNEXED.

Did You Disegard the Wishes of the People of the Selma District?

EDITOR REPUBLICAN.—During the session of the last legislature, Hon. Mr. Mordecai, in common with other members of the legislature, was asked to amend the so-called "Wright Law"—and while nothing was done or tried to be done, to amend that very defective law, a number of members of the legislature wrote letters to those asking for the legislation, telling them why 'twas impracticable to then amend the law. Hon. Mordecai, so far as I know, did not even extend this courtesy to those asking his aid.

To give an idea of what was asked I give here two enumerations from a remonstrance circulated last spring against calling a bond election in Selma Irrigation district.

Second, in districts where bonds have been voted, thousands of dollars of taxes have been paid by certain land owners who have received no water, and the law is so stupidly defective that it gives no redress for such a wrong.

Third, the last legislature was asked to amend the Wright Law so that only land owners should vote on the matter of taxing or bonding lands;—that in lieu of having neither attorney nor auditor elected by the people to watch their interests against a possible wrong of the directors, that the superior judge should be required on petition of a specified number of land owners, to take testimony in open court and adjudicate upon any specified act of the directors, thus relieving persons being injured of the slow, expensive and uncertain redress by injunction. And that directors should be subject to the same penalties, restrictions and liabilities that supervisors are;

Here is the law relating to supervisors above referred to:

"Any supervisor who neglects or refuses to perform any duty imposed on him, without just cause therefor, or who willfully violates any law provided for his government as such officer, or fraudulently or corruptly performs any duty imposed on him, or willfully, fraudulently or corruptly attempts to perform an act, as supervisor, unauthorized by law, in addition to the penalty provided in the Penal Code, forfeits to the county $500 for every such act, to be recovered on his official bonds, and is further liable on his official bond to any person injured thereby for all damages sustained."

The remonstrance, from which the above act is given, against calling a bond election, was signed by over 800 voters.

Now I wish to ask those voters in view of the facts here given if they are satisfied to send Mr. Mordecai again to the assembly. W. A. SANDERS.

FRESNO'S FINE FRUIT.

Latest Donations to the World's Fair Commission.

The Fresno County World's Fair commission received several valuable contributions yesterday.

Jens Hansen of Fig avenue, in Central colony, donated a pumpkin weighing 122 pounds. On that same vine were fifteen other pumpkins weighing from ninety pounds up. Mr. Hansen also contributed fifty pounds of choice raisins.

Mrs. M. A. Kerr of Borden sent in the largest bunch of Flaming Tokay grapes that has yet been received. This is the first contribution of any kind received from that portion of Fresno county lying north of the San Joaquin river.

Dr. Chester Rowell contributed a jar of rosy cheeked pomegranates grown in the yard of his residence in this city.

Hans Madsen of Central colony sent sent in twenty-five pounds of raisins.

H. Craven of Fig avenue is represented by fifty pounds, M. Huesen by twenty-five pounds, H. Hakes of Cherry avenue twenty pounds.

Mrs. A. J. Hechtman and son of Los Angeles are spending a few days in Fresno. They are staying at the Hughes.

LOS ANGELES' HORROR

Another Added to the Death List

OF THE POWDER EXPLOSION

Wilson, the Man in Charge, in Jail on a Charge of Causing the Accident.

LOS ANGELES, October 22.—Another victim of last night's terrible explosion died this morning. He was a boy named Christian, and he was conscious to the last.

Young Griffith's leg was amputated this morning.

The total number of deaths is six, including Christian. A child, identified last night as Ozagarita Cohen, was this morning found to be Lillian Rapp. Aside from this there is no change in the death list.

No further of the seriously wounded have been found, and it is now believed that all the wounded will recover except Fraida Rapp, whose condition is serious.

Crowds of curious citizens lingered around the police station today inquiring of those who came out how many was dead and how many were dying.

Frequent queries were made of those who have not been heard of since yesterday.

The dead to the number of six have all been removed to the morgue, and at 10 o'clock but two were in the receiving hospital, the others having been removed to the county hospital.

At the morgue are the bodies of six victims, lying side by side.

The bodies are Frank Ford, Louis Oden, Antonio Righetter, Victor Cassino and Gilbert Christian.

The body of Lillian Rapp was laid in a vault away from the eyes of the curious throng, who surged in one door and out the other to view the remains.

At 2 o'clock the inquest commenced, but nothing was done beyond identifying the remains, when it was continued to Monday.

W. H. Wilson, who was in charge of the fireworks last night, said today that for over an hour piece after piece was set off without accident by my assistant, Herman Gommant, and myself. I found that a number of boys were past the rope and were stealing rockets. We determined to end the exhibition as soon as possible so we took three 4-inch mortars and started to get back from the crowd and fire them off. By this time the crowd had broken down the ropes and were surging into the enclosure. Gommant fired off some bombs at this time and started to run. The next thing I know Gommant was yelling that his leg had been hurt and he fell down.

This morning Wilson visited the grounds where the accident occurred. The ground was thoroughly gone over in searching for pieces of the mortars, but without success. Wilson said: "We had here last night mortars from which to fire bombs, and also had several anvils and a cigar box nearly full of powder to use in priming anvils. The powder was covered with blankets. This box is missing and my idea is that some boy got it and poured powder into one or two of the 4-inch mortars that were fired off last and that caused the damage."

Wilson is still in custody and will be detained until after the inquest. Much feeling is against the man as many persons declare he lost his temper and recklessly set off the mortars.

THE MATRIMONIAL PANACEA.

Eliza A. Stewart Obtains a Divorce From L. Stewart.

Judge Harris yesterday granted a divorce to Eliza A. Stewart from her husband, Linus Stewart. Judging from Eliza's complaint, Linus is a very bad man.

She alleged that he had treated her in a cruel and inhuman manner, and frequently threatened to kill her. On September 22d, at their home in Malaga, Linus seized her by the throat and placed a knife to her breast, threatening to "do her up." He also said he would make an end of her and her children. He was prevented, however, from carrying out his design.

Her husband also accused her of lying and cheating, and three years ago, in a hotel at Vallejo, he called her abusive names and threatened to kill her. He also accused her of incest with her eldest son, and treated her so outrageously that she became ill, and suffered much physical and mental agony.

The plaintiff alleged, besides, that the defendant was addicted to the periodical use of liquor, at which times he became violent to the verge of insanity. They were married in San Francisco in April, 1885.

INJUNCTION SUIT

Brought by Jesse B. Ross Against James Lawson.

In the superior court yesterday Jesse B. Ross brought suit against James Lawson. Ross alleges that he owns 160 acres adjoining the south half of the southwest fourth of section 36, township 8 south, range 23 east, and that six years ago he appropriated the water in the Lockanew creek for irrigation and mining purposes.

He used the water so appropriated until last June when he was deprived of it by the defendant, who diverted it at a point two and a half miles above the point where Ross' ditch is. The defendant has since then used the water of said creek and threatens to continue to do so.

In consequence of being deprived of the use of said water, plaintiff alleges a patch of alfalfa was destroyed, and he asks $500 damages for the same. He also prays that the defendant be restrained from further use of the water of said creek.

Tan Game Raided.

Constables Qualls, Bonnifield and Burton and several policemen raided a fan tan game in Chinatown last night. They bagged thirty two Mongolians who will be tried before Justice of the Peace Crichton.

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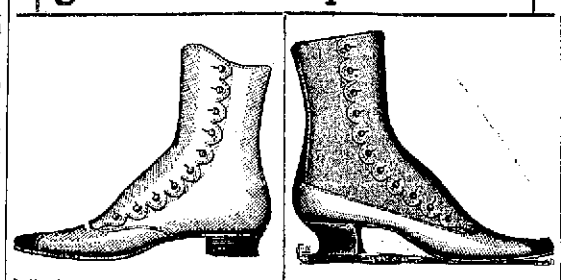

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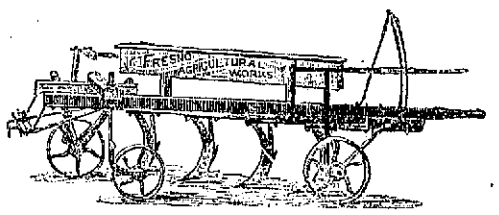

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Second—Frank Vinson, C. J. Butler.
Third—George W. Jones, R. Z. Austin.
Fourth—J. D. Galloway, Frank Emerson.
Fifth—B. I. Willis, S. G. Johnson.
Sixth—Vacant.
Seventh—W. M. Barr, A. C. Joy.
Eighth—P. Grisot, John Todd.

CONSTABLES.

First Township—Frank Woods, B. F. Merritt.
Second—A. R. Brentner, H. Brown.
Third—William Shaw, George Mathreson.
Fourth—D. Page, Charles McWhorter.
Fifth—Charles W. Butler, L. Garrett.
Seventh—Al Woodward, Harvey Garrison.
Eighth—Fred Stoll, Thomas McMurrey.

A FOOLISH PERFORMANCE.

The Expositor's attempt to play County Clerk Williams in the role of a martyr to official duty and the victim of vicious partisan abuse, is another case of loud wail for sympathy when nobody has been hurt. In the first place Mr. Williams has not been misrepresented and so far as this paper is concerned he has been exonerated of any unfair intentions in the matter of putting Firman Church's name on the Republican ticket.

When it was announced that Mr. Williams had decided not to put Mr. Church's name on the ticket, THE REPUBLICAN, believing that he had been wrongly advised, protested strongly, and when on the following day he accepted the advice of the district attorney and decided to put the name on the ticket, this paper gave his version of the whole transaction and made no further criticism in regard to the matter.

Our authority for saying that the county clerk did refuse to put Mr. Church's name on the Republican ticket is the statement of Dr. Deardorff, vice chairman of the central committee, who says that Mr. Williams told him that he had made up his mind that the nomination had not been legally made, and believing that the legality of the ticket might be endangered by putting the name on it, he would not do so unless mandamused. He wished to see the matter decided in the courts. This is Doctor Deardorff's statement, and we presume it will not be denied. And that is all there is about the matter. Mr. Williams declined to put the name on the ticket, but nobody is trying to claim that he had an ulterior motive in doing so. In fact, his ready acceptance of the district attorney's opinion is a sufficient answer to any such reflection.

The Expositor is making Mr. Williams appear in the light of a crank, which is not fair treatment of that gentleman.

GAMBLING SUPPRESSED.

The constabulary, assisted by some policemen, did a big job last night when they arrested thirty-three Chinamen for playing fan tan. Everybody knows that this same fan tan has cast a bad name upon Fresno, and nobody doubts that the recent murders that have disgraced this county were not murders at all, but suicides of victims of the deadly fan game. This game has been allowed to ravage Chinatown too long already. It is necessary that better care should be taken of the Chinese population and that their morals should be strictly guarded by the police and the constables.

By the by, what's the matter with stud poker and dice games and faro and flare? All these are prohibited by the statute. It has been urged that these are games more generally played on the east side of the railroad track and by white men, and they are not Chinese games. But they are illegal all the same.

Chinamen cannot vote at the coming election. Is that the reason why they are arrested and why white men are not molested by the authorities?

There is something wrong somewhere. What's the matter with arresting a few white gamblers by way of variety?

THE Expositor's defense of the Democratic policy in county affairs is the most remarkable display of bluster and buncombe that was ever seen in the columns of a newspaper. Having practically debarred itself from openly supporting the county ticket, it is devoting a great deal of its space to bluster about imaginary abuse of Democratic candidates who have been treated fairly and courteously by their opponents. In the light of recent events the Expositor's defense of the Holdfasts is the greatest piece of farce comedy that was ever enacted on the political stage. The public is duly amused by the performance.

PRESIDENT ELIOT of Harvard, who is one of the most violent protection haters in the whole country, declares that it is the object of the Democratic campaign to swing the country over "from protection to free trade." This is a brief, terse statement of Democratic policy, worthy of a place by the side of Henry Watterson's emphatic declaration that "the Democracy is a free trade party or it is nothing." It is a pity that few free traders are as honest as Eliot and Watterson.

Two of the most distinguished students of the tariff and free trade in England will contribute articles to the November number of The Forum. Sir Thomas H. Farrer, for many years secretary of the English board of trade, will write on "English Views of the McKinley Tariff," showing how it has affected English exports; Lord Masham, the largest textile manufacturer in Great Britain, and president of the Fair Trade club, will write on "Has England Injured by Free Trade?" to show that it has not.

RISING WAGES.

Every indication deserving the notice of intelligent men which has hitherto appeared, has pointed unerringly to the fact that the people, especially the working people of this country, were never before so well off as now in the midst of the campaign of calamity waged by the Democratic party. Commissioner Peck's report and the senate report on prices and wages showed this, and they were backed up by the statements of half a dozen other official reports from various states on industrial conditions.

Unfortunately, the complete census returns of the progress made since 1880 are not yet available, but the partial reports which have appeared corroborate in every particular the reports from other sources. Most significant are the census figures given out from Washington on Thursday. They relate to some of the principal industrial centers in the country, and tell a story not at all comforting to the free trade Democracy.

It appears that in Chicago average annual wages per capita increased from $426 to $580, or 35.99 per cent in the census period; in Buffalo, average wages increased from $413 to $502, 21.55 per cent; in Rochester, from $357 to $512, or 43.22 per cent; in Denver, from $535 to $793, or 48.22 per cent; in Lynn, from $470 to $609, or 29.57 per cent. Two cities in the south, the stronghold of American Cobdenism, are considered. Both show a far greater increase than any of the others. Wages in Nashville, Tenn., increased from an average of $274 in 1880 to $449 in 1890, a gain of 63.87 per cent; while Atlanta, Ga., shows an increase from $242 to $420, or 73.55 per cent in the yearly earnings per capita of its working people.

A recent census report has shown that in the Democratic city of New York average wages per capita increased more during the census period than in any of the northern or western cities mentioned above. They were $427 in 1880, and $553, or 52.93 per cent greater in 1890.

That eminent free trader Edward Atkinson, in the Forum of last May said:

"There has never been a period in the history of this or any other country when the general rate of wages was as high as it is today, nor a period when the workman, in the strict sense of the word, has so fully secured to his own use and enjoyment such a steadily and progressively increasing proportion of a constantly increasing product."

This statement is borne out by the official figures of the census office and the reports of the different state bureaus of labor statistics.

American workingmen have in the figures here given a fairly accurate gauge of the rate at which their condition has improved and is improving. There is little likelihood that they will stop the process of improvement by their votes on election day. They are not yet tired of progress and prosperity.

Explanatory.

Indignant Wife—Here, sir, is the photograph of a strange woman I find you are in the habit of carrying around in your pocket. I demand an explanation.

Husband—Why, pshaw! My dear, I fell in love with that girl long before our marriage.—Life.

"According to His Folly."

Hostess—I've got such a cold today. I feel quite stupid.

Prize Idiot (calling)—I've got a bad cold, too, but I don't feel particularly stupid.

Hostess—Ah, I see you're not quite yourself!—Du Maurier in Punch.

An Expressman's Trial.

A woman in Biddeford to whom a stove was sent by express requested the driver to get it up two flights of stairs for her. He did so, and then she desired him to set it up and start a fire in it to see if the chimney drew all right. This sent him home in a fainting, almost exhausted condition.—Augusta (Me.) Journal.

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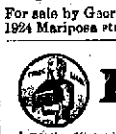

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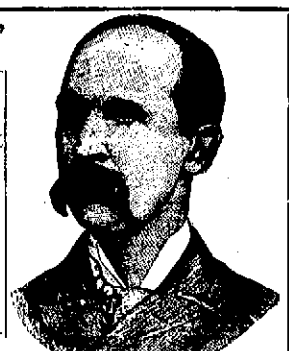

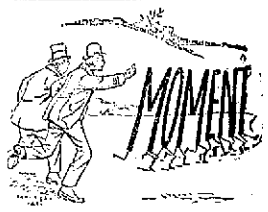

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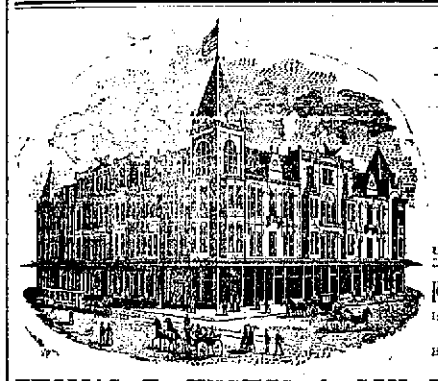

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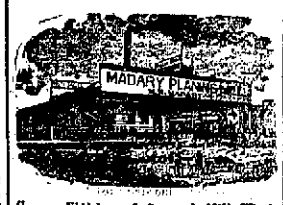

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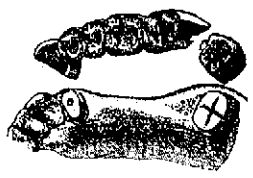

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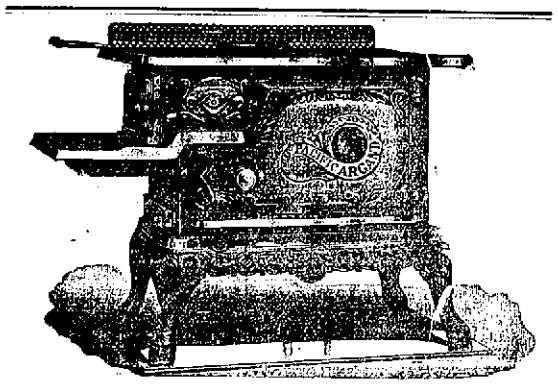

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By order of the Board of Supervisors of Fresno county.

Attest:

A. C. WILLIAMS, Clerk.
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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Doings of the Board at Its August Meetings.

Fresno, August 2.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—White, Myer and Letcher; absent, Butler and Hanke; A. C. Williams, clerk, by W. S. Badger, deputy clerk.

The board examined, allowed and ordered paid the following claims:

General fund—J J Reyburn $18, H Bishop 54, G A Everts 54.25, E G Hope 59, O J Meade 54, E M Russell 59, O Curtin 6, P B Millet 6, J F Stevens 6, W W Machen 6, W N Rohrer 6, G Brainard 6, H S Colburn 6, R Crellman 6, B Breese 6, A W Robinson 6, Sam Grigsby 6, J B Hays 6, A Newhouse 6, J W Beall 6, S W Renfro 3, Ed Lane 3, G W Smith 3, J S Ward 3, C C Baley 3, W Furnish 3, A F Peters 3, D H Cobb 3, F P Lindsey 4, San Joaquin Lumber Co 166.23, Madera Planing mill 22.45, J H Brown 3, Harry B Jennings 3, H Morrow 3, H Lanz 3, Geo Hutchings 3, I W Clayton 3, O Pickford 3, J Irving 3, Wm Shaw 3, Jake Hofner 3, Thos Hunt 3, Chris Erickson 3, John Weaver 3, I L Grainger 3, SB Goodman 3 David Tucker 3, Jas Gallagher 13, Birdie Johnson 4, Jas Gallagher $1.80, E W Risley 67.20, Jas Gallagher 33.40, Jas Gallagher 30, S G Edwards 20, S G Edwards 10, James Gallagher 10, James Gallagher 4.40, James Gallagher 17.50, S G Edwards 19.20, O Scribner 9.50, Kosouth 3, V Millisich 3, Jas Jan 24, J C Bright 3, V Millisich 6, Mary Teaford 12, D Imperatrice 3, M Rordnero 3, FRESNO REPUBLICAN 10.80, J W Ferguson 63.80, E P Dewey 7.20, J W Mitchell 4.55, Lee Stanley 21, J A Waterman 6, Fresno Gas and Electric Light company 91.05, S S Wright 5, G S Farley 10, F M Sponcgle 15, F M Sponcgle 5, H Es George Hopkins 5, C W De Long 70, E E Brown 72.65, Hall & Ashley 4, R Larimore 5, H L Miller 168, W J Pickett 100, L F Winchell 50, A McDowell 25, James Porteous 54.30, James Porteous 31.53, E Dryden 7, J H Garrison 2.50, M F Burns 3, M Lane 27, J H Hudson 7, D R Prince 11, H Smart 90.50, F F Bartlett 75, Cargile & Turnbaugh 152.76, Davis & Dismuke 6.50, A C. Schwartz 108, J M Boyd 62.50, Union Ice Co 58, Union Ice Co. 1.75, Union Ice Co. 52.50, H Smart 45.76, T A Bell 13.40, J M Hensley 15 42, J M Hensley 71, J M Hensley 449.98, G M Kohler 2.50, Mrs S E Daly 12.65, Alexander & Goodman 24.28, Kutner-Goldstein Co, 7.25, Kutner-Goldstein Co. 25.70, Kutner-Goldstein Co. 45, A Merrill S, Louis Einstein & Co. 12.71, L Einstein & Co. 429.54, N D Gilbert 1.70, J F Weaver 29.84, Smith & Fenton 19.37, J F Weaver 61.62, John C Nourse 1, Bancroft Whitney Co, 17, U S Crocker & Co. 30.40, Armstrong & DeGuerre 4332.20, T J Kirk 13.60, T Yost & Son 50, J C Nourse 50c, Webster Bros. 5.10, Geo. H Monroe 24.10.

World's Fair fund—Geo H Monroe $35.00 Mrs M E Stuart 10, Abrahamson, Bacon & Hamlish 479.35, L H Hatch 21.85, T E Hughes 21.50, J B Spencer 4.

Indigent sick fund—Lewis Leach $73.70, Kutner Goldstein Co 35.64, Outner-Goldstein Co $15.25, Kutner-Goldstein Co $502.60, Kutner Goldstein Co $14.25, Kutner-Goldstein Co $16.44, Alexander & Goodman $30.60, N D Gilbert $6.65, Louis Einstein & Co 95.90, Frank Fay 3, H E Enlow 3 G W Hensley 33, E C Adams 6, W J Williams 183 63.

Road district fund No. 7—Z A Beall $143, J H Thomas 16 50 T E Rudolph 13, J W Oliver 73.25

Road district fund No. 11—C E Burnett $45.

The board adjourned to August 3d.

Fresno, August 3.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—White, Letcher and Meyer; absent, Butler and Hanke. A. C. Williams, Clerk; by W. S. Badger, deputy clerk.

The board had road matters under consideration during the day and ordered a continuance of the same until September 7, 1892.

The board adjourned until the 4th instant.

Fresno, August 4.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—White, Myer and Letcher; absent, Butler and Hanke. A. C. Williams, clerk; by W. S. Badger, deputy clerk.

The board examined, allowed and ordered paid the following claims, to-wit:

Road district fund No. 10—Louis Einstein & Co. $17.75 Howard & Strahan.

GENERAL FUND.

W D Crichton $125, W B Collum 12, W M Foster 66, D R Prince 125, P E Emerson 24, A McDonald 7, W O Downie 46, Frank Lanley 125, D R Prince 45, J L Morgan 14 85, J W Green 123.20, E D Vogelsang 6 40, B F Merritt 125, W M Barton 125, W L Hill 125, C M Glazier 39.50, R L Barr 71.40, J G Ashman 125, George Matheson 125, George Matheson 22, J G Ashman 24, George Matheson 38, J W Green 10.25, R L Barr 2, W L Hill 4.75, C J Walker 10, J E Beall 10.50, S G Edwards 46, S Edwards 10, Addie Hall 13.40, E S Van Meter 5, H Wolters 62.40, A H McCrory 12.

Indigent sick fund—Riverside dairy 3 30, Alexander & Goodman 71 55.

Salary fund—F F Letcher $18, T C White 61, J Myer 23.50.

General fund—W P Lyon $10.

Road district fund No. 2—F M Hart $11.40, George Lee 7.50, M L Schermerhorn 10, San Joaquin Lumber company 183.95, San Joaquin Lumber company 24.81, G D Wilson 7.50, W H Lockwood 1.50, L Einstein & Co 9.40, Jay Hankins 102, T W Pratt 6, G E Kincaid 24, V B Cobb 15 78, J Hinsburger 69.62, W S Binde 50, F L Johnson 22.

Road district fund No. 10—Wm Hawkins $44, Lester Craghead 4.

Road district fund Nos. 3 and 7 jointly—L Dumont $12.87, J G Hancock 11, D Morrison 27, D Morrison 23, M L Schermerhorn 52.75, Valley Lumber company 18.67, L Einstein & Co. 2.50, L Einstein & Co. 7.71, J T Bailey 20.25.

The board awarded the contract for furnishing the county with ballot boxes to J.B. Meloche at 85 cents each for large size and 70 cents each for small size.

W. C. Guard, tax collector, was allowed seven assistants for preparation for and collection of taxes of present fiscal year.

Mrs. M. Johnson, an aged indigent person, was allowed $10 per month for her support.

The board appointed September 1st, 2d and 3d, 1892, as the time for equalizing the taxes of Madera fire district, said session to be held at the rooms of the board in the courthouse, in the city of Fresno.

An offer of $50 was made by the board for the best and most suitable set of plans and specifications for the construction of a county poor house.

The architect upon the additions to court house, etc., was directed to furnish the board with a detailed statement of all material furnished and labor performed by the contractors on said building up to date, and it was ordered that Smillie Bros., the contractors, be paid $3000 upon account of certificate No. 4 of the architect, and the auditor was directed to draw his warrant for the same.

The board adjourned until the 16th instant.

A. C. Williams, Clerk.

By W. S. Badger, deputy clerk.

Fresno, September 3.

The board of supervisors of Fresno county met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Letcher, Meyer and White; absent, Hanke and Butler. A. C. Williams, clerk; by W. S. Badger, deputy clerk.

The board examined, allowed and ordered paid the following claims, to wit:

General fund—F F Bartlett $75, J M Hensley 507, Hop Kee 12.50, F M Byrd 12.10, L J Nels 8.35, Jas Donelly 17.60, Young Low 9.20, J M Hensley 159.80, J L Rost 1, Donahoo, Emmons & Co 1.50, Jas Bancroft 3, J B Murphy 6, J Work 11 70, Lee Foon 3, Jack Nell 3, Jack Nell 3, E P Dewey 5.40, McClure & Prisk 15, Geo A Smith 4 64, Wm McCallum 13.37, Alford & Coffman 3, H C Warner 18.31, D R Bowling 4 81, Long Bros 3.74, A Warnekros 7.75, Wm Cunningham 21 25, A H Powers 19, S Moulux 15, L Waggoner 20, E R Holton 18.75, M M Thompson 17.50, C S Pierce 15, J M Boyd 15, W D Wriston 17 25.

Indigent sick fund—Hall & Whitten $37.50, F Stevens 211.25, L Einstein & Co. 70 39.

Road district fund No. 4—W H H Payson $48.50.

World's Fair fund—Donahoo, Emmons & Co. $11.80, Same 8.70, Same 6.10.

The board fixed the amounts of official bonds as follows:

Treasurer	$100,000
Recorder	10,000
County clerk	15,000
Assessor	10,000
Auditor	10,000
Surveyor	5,000
Sheriff	25,000
Superintendent of schools	3,000
Tax Collector	50,000
Coroner	2,000
District attorney	10,000
Public administrator	20,000
Justices of the peace	1,000
Constables	1,000

The board then adjourned till the 6th instant.

Fresno, September 6.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board, A C Williams clerk; by W S Badger, deputy clerk.

The board examined, allowed and ordered paid the following claims, to-wit:

Road district No. 1—F B Woods $81, G A Wells 37.50, R S Volger 21, J W Schmitz 737.15, F A Dunham 74.73.

Road district No. 3—H W Richter $592.50, T W Fresh 7.50, J A Richter 421.25, M Kibain 12, F Marcarian 22.50, H Marcarian 12, J Nyshigon 12, San Joaquin Lumber company 27.23, A R Holmes 3, B B Bronaugh 3, W N Lee 102.50.

Road district No. 5.—Kutner-Goldstein company $10.40.

Road distriot No. 5.—B O Williams $36.38, A N Anderson 7.50, G B Otis 9, San Joaquin Lumber company 47.65, Valley Lumber company 14.29, Valley Lumber company 106.86.

Road district No. 11.—E T Allen $40.25, E T Allen 189.75, Kutner-Goldstein company 10.25, Kutner-Goldstein company 5.05, T A Robinson 20, Madera F & I company 60 25.

Road district No. 14.—R Laramore $7.

Road district No. 15.—J H Davis $42, D P Anderson 49 50, C Darnell 34, West Lumber company 191.21.

Road district No. 16.—J Rasmussen 9.

General road fund—W W Ward $400.

General road fund—J A Waterman $54, O H Riego 90.50, J O'Connor 10.50, Fresno Gas and Electric Light co 85.95, Alexander & Goodman 12, T B Cargile 32.50, Kutner-Goldstein Co 5 55, J M Bridges, 3.50, Alexander & Goodman 13.80, J E Ryan 5, Theo Ashcroft et al 20.25, J E Meloche 95, W J Dickey 1040, J G Wolford 50, Armstrong & DeGuerre 302.45, E W Kay 3.10, Geo McKinney 10.10 S E Noel 11.10, F I Bequette 11.10, D Kennedy 11 10, J C March 15.10, J Akers 13.15, A P Davis 7.85, H L Ward 13.55, J W Roark 13 50, W T and J L Maupin 12.50, W T and J L Maupin 45, W T and J L Maupin 20, J Graham 20, J K Sutton 10, C W Gearhart 10, C W Gearhart 20, W C Ring 20, C W Gearhart 10, S G Edwards 31.15, A S Jones 5 40, J W Ferguson 68.45, E E Vincent 16.80, T A Bell 11.20, W O Guard 45.50, W J Hutchinson 20, G B Vishila 3, E Farris 3, I Romas 3, G A Hart 21 50, J D Collins 18.75, W J Coldwell 3.25, Gilum Bailey 15, O B Olafs 15.25, M B Hagen 3, C J Thorn 3, R W Ellis 121.75, L E Prusso 120, L P Timmons 96, H E Barnum 104, W T Lyon 100, R L Hogan 140, L P Timmons 122, H L Rader 120.

World's Fair fund—T E Hughes $20, D R Williams 10.50, M B Stuart 39.91.

Indigent fund—Louis Leach $688.25, Kutner-Goldstein Co 2.90, W W Salinger 64, F Stevens 169.16, T L Jones 45.65, Alexander & Goodman 53.47, Alexander & Goodman 83 20, Kutner Goldstein Co 7.25, Kutner Goldstein Co 647.31, Kutner Goldstein Co 2.60, Kutner-Goldstein Co 25.12, A Weihelmer 4.50, C A Kramer 29.40, J F Weaver 14.85.

The board issued the bonds of Panoche school district in the sum of $2000.

The auditor is directed to draw his warrant in favor of Smillie Bros., contractors of courthouse extension, in the sum of $4,016.60.

The board adopted the plans of Harry Thomas for proposed county poor house, and awarded him the sum of $50 therefor.

The board adjourned until the 7th instant.

Fresno September 7.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board: A. C. Williams, clerk; by W. S. Badger, deputy.

The board examined, allowed and ordered paid the following bills:

General fund D R Prince $125, D R Prince 125, W B Crichton 125, W B Collum 29, W C Downey 28, A McDonald 49, F G Emerson 22, F Lanley 65, D R Brown 74, E E Brown 115, Hattie H Hawley 10, H Smart 1 50, W L Hill 19, V Rich 7.80, D S Horn 3.50, Thos Yost & Son 42.49.

Road district fund No. 11—J H Davis $11.90.

Road district No. 7—G W Ward $600, A G Haskin 4, H E Barnum 21.16, M Vincent 18.25, Barnum Bros. 275.35, Z A Beall 178.50, J P Winkelman 106.50, M C Saunders 34 50, J P Winkelman 31.50, M C Saunder 10.50, Fred McCall 14, W T Davis 48.60 D W Utt 42.75, A G Haskins 27, Wm Jackson 77, J H Beall 156, J H Beall 99, David Vaughn 11 75, J H Cochran 161.50, Z A Beall 209.25.

Road district No. 9—H E Barnum $291, F Thompson 6, H E Barnum 72, F P Scott 6, A J Stanter 9, H J Kelley 26 75, D L Bickford 13.50, Chas Sheridan 63, Chas Sheridan 143, Frank Scott 115.50, Fred Pratt 44, Frank Scott 143, Fred Pratt 51, J Fairweather 6.

Road district No. 13—This Robinbanch $80.75.

Indigent fund—J C Rice $6.50.

The board ordered that the south half of lot 11, Mountain View cemetery, be advertised to be sold at public auction on October 8, 1892, at 2 p.m.

J S Bedford as surveyor and J S Bedford, J E Williams and J F Rogers as viewers, were appointed to view and survey a proposed road upon petition of Jas K Fisher et al, beginning at center of west boundary of sec 20, t 16, r 22; thence running east to sec 21; thence north to northeast corner of sec 20, all in said township and range.

J S Bedford as surveyor and J S Bedford, Geo Buell and Geo Smith as viewers were appointed to survey and view a proposed road upon a petition of T E Maxwell et al, beginning at northwest corner of sec 30, t 14, r 22; thence south two miles to southwest corner of sec 31, t 14, r 22.

The board adjourned till the 8th instant.

Fresno, September 8.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board; A. C. Williams, clerk; by W. S. Badger, deputy clerk.

The board abandoned the following described road, to wit: Thirty feet wide off of the east side of section 7, T 16 S, R 22 E, beginning 668 feet north of SE cor of NE¼, section 7, thence south to SE corner of the same.

The board adjourned until September 10th.

Fresno, September 10th.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board; A. C. Williams, clerk, by W. S. Badger, deputy.

The board examined and allowed and ordered paid the following claims:

General fund—R L Barr $125, W H Lane 125, B F Merritt 112 40, J W Green 86.40, J N McFatter 126, George Matheson 125, W M Barton 24.10, Fred Stoll 125, W M Barton 8 90, J W Green 124.20, G W Sturtevant 19.10, W L Hill 62.25, O W Glazier 48.85, J G Ashman 125, Fred Stoll 54.60, George Matheson 23.70, R L Barr 7.25, B F Merritt 9.40, J G Ashman 60.70, J W Green 8.30, J N McFatter 6.10, J N McFatter 23 25, S W Henry 11, W D Breese 72 68, McClure & Prisk 307.50, H J T Jacobson 6, W W Adams 4.70, Thomas Drew 4.70.

Road district No. 5—J M Ryan $6.

Road district No. 8.—A J Scoggins $436 40, M Rosh 68, W H Parker 32.50, O M Wooten 19.56, W F Rindberger 32.56, B J Fickle 42, J J Street 24, E Dooly 33, C B Sharps 26.50, J Mull 22.50, John Curl 38 50, Antone Kirch 44, J J Merkle 45, A J Work 11.50, Warren Farris 30.50, J W Work 33, B Bennett 7, H Berger 12, C C Lambert 38, S D McIntier 27.50, J M Culver 25.50, Tom Murray 37, Fred Howard 25 50, R Hughlett 46, George Lambert 42.

General Fund—Eva Evans $9 10, Mrs Chris Evans 9.10, E Bradley 11.10, A H Murray Jr 9, E C Dunn 25, J M McClure 51.

Salary fund—J Meyer $145 75, R B Butler 100, T C White 54.

Road district No. 4.—J S Bedford $168.

Road district No. 6—Perry Williams $14, W S McSwain 15, J H Bedford 15, R W Daly 15, E T May 15.

Road district No. 11—W F Rogers $36, G M Boles 18, H J Hurley 18, E T May 18, S W Johnson 18, E P Murray 18, J H Bedford 18, S J Hunter Jr 18.

Road District No. 12—S J Hunter Jr 18, J S Bedford 35, J E Williams 15.

The board adjourned until the 25th instant.

Fresno, September 12, 1892.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—White, Letcher Butler; A C Williams, clerk; by W S Badger, deputy.

The board examined and ordered paid the following claims, towit:

General fund—P F Peck $89, Kutner-Goldstein Co 17, J F Weaver 11.35.

World's Fair fund—M B Stuart 77.50.

Road district No. 2—W B Moore $2.50.

Road district No. 3—S Johnston $6.

Road district No. 5—S M Stuart $77.04 J Allen 8.75, Tom Briscoe 88.

The board adjourned until the 13th instant.

Fresno, September 13.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: Letcher, Myer, Butler, Hanke. Absent: White.

F F Letcher appointed chairman pro tem.

It is ordered that Frank M Murphy be allowed to maintain a gate on Crane Valley road at Willow creek.

The petition for the appointment of J P Meeker justice of the peace at Coalinga is denied and dismissed.

The board order that the clerk advertise for sealed bids for furnishing the county with stationery, said bids to be received up to and including October 8th, 1892.

The board adjourned until September 14th.

Fresno, September 14, 1892.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present, full board, A C Williams, clerk; by W S Badger, deputy.

The board issued a proclamation submitting to the electors of the county the question of the issuance of $100,000 bonds of the county for building additions to the court house and furnishing the same, to be voted on at the next general election.

The board adjourned until the 15th instant.

The Muscular Strength of a Trout.

We sat for an hour or more on the end bank of the Beaverkill at Rockland and watched the trout of that celebrated river passing over the dam, which is nearly three feet high, with about a 4-inch volume of water pouring over it. The trout ranged in size from ten to eighteen inches, and during the time we sat there at least twenty managed to get over. In every instance a first attempt failed, owing, however, more to an apparent want of judgment, or perhaps of experience, than from lack of physical ability in the fish to accomplish the feat, the smaller fish as a rule failing to get over in the first effort.

But few of the larger fish made a clean jump into the smooth water above the apron of the dam; most of them passed perpendicularly up the falling waters and with apparent ease. These fish were enabled to swim straight up this downpour of the waters by the great muscular power they possessed; there was no trick, no height of hand about it—it was pure strength of body, which is evidently centered in the peduncle or tail and the tail fin.

They actually scuffled their bodies up this comparatively dense mass of water. The act is naturally serious. If a 18-inch trout can swim up such a fall, what is the capacity of a salmon of forty inches under similar conditions?—American Angler.

Why the Czar Went to Kiel.

There is not another place in the world where the emperor of Russia feels so secure and so easy in his mind as at the court of his father-in-law, King Christian of Denmark. They were sitting together on the day of the golden wedding of the king, when the emperor, in the exuberance of his feelings of comfort, said that he wished he could think of something by which he could give to his beloved father a very great pleasure.

"You could not give me a greater pleasure," replied the king, "than I should feel at your resolve to go and pay a visit to the emperor of Germany." The czar consented, but he would not go to Berlin. Thus the meeting at Kiel was arranged. What all the cleverest moves of the diplomats of Germany had failed to accomplish a wise prayer of old King Christian thus easily brought about.—Chicago Times.

Speaking of Dates.

"Did you ever notice the curious difference in the sexes which is shown in the way a man or a woman fixes a date?" remarked a gentleman to a lady the other day. "You ask a man when such and such a thing happened, and he always answers, 'in the year so and so,' or, 'about 1880 and something;' but the woman invariably says, 'About so many years ago,' or, 'it was so many years after I was married,' or, 'the year after Teddie was born,' and so on."

"Yes," replied his companion, "I have noticed it in myself. I feel that I am getting like the western widow who dated all her farming operations from or before 'the year I planted Jim,' which was her peculiar way of referring to her husband's burial."—New York Tribune.

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Will be awarded to the subscriber who names the next State Hall of Fresno county and estimates most correctly his majority. The Premium is a Hunting Outfit, consisting of one Pelper Shotgun double barrel, breech loading, fine twist barrels, side snap, 10 range, choke bored and reinforced breech. One oblstad the renowned cleaning rod, nickle plated tips. Octagoline tools. One Victoria gun cover, lined throughout, leather capped with handle and eling. One brown canvas hunting coat, six pockets and sleeves. Twenty dozen brass shells, best quality. Value $50. The outfit may be seen at Wormsbrecher, Pioneer Gun, Store, Fisher building, Mariposa street.

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Will be awarded to the subscriber naming the successful candidate for County Clerk of Fresno county and estimating most closely his majority. This premium is a Lady's Gold Watch, valued at $55. It is now exhibited at Peter's Jewelry Store, J street.

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JACOB REEDER.

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Notice.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION SOLICITS plans and specifications for repairs to the G-street school building, which shall include the removal of the present brick walls and the construction of other brick walls, converting the structure into a secure and safe building. Plans and specifications to be submitted before 10 o'clock p.m. of Monday, October 31 1892. The cost of the contemplated repairs and the completion of the plan will be considered in letting the same, and $100 paid for accepted plans.

H. Z. AUSTIN,

oct22d Secretary Board of Education.

Notice of Street Work.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno on the 17th day of October, 1892, adopted a resolution the intent of its intention to order the following work to be done, to wit:

That Fresno street from the east line of the alley between P and Q streets to the east line of Grand avenue (except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and other exceptions mentioned in the resolution of intention) be graded, curbed, guttered and sidewalks according to specifications now on file.

For further particulars of said work reference is hereby made to said resolution, on file.

Fresno, Cal., October 22, 1892.

J. D. JONES,

Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, on the 17th day of October, 1892, adopted a resolution (No 100) of its intention to order the following work to be done, to wit:

That Fresno street from the west line of sidewalk on R street to the west line of I street (except such portion thereof as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, and other exceptions mentioned in the resolution of intention) be paved and guttered with bitumious rock asphalt, curbed and furnished with approaches according to specifications now on file.

For further particulars of said work, reference is hereby made to said resolution on file.

Fresno, Cal., October 27, 1892.

J. D. JONES.

Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.

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HARRISON.

His Letter of Acceptance In Full.

PROTECTION AND RECIPROCITY

Mr. Blaine's Views Approved.

MARKETS OPENED TO AMERICANS

Silver Coinage and an Honest Ballot—What the Administration Has Accomplished—Sharp Contrasts and Party Policies.

Mr. Harrison's letter of acceptance of his Republican Presidential nomination is as follows:

To Hon. Wm. McKinley Jr. and others, members of the committee. GENTLEMEN: I now avail myself of that period of relief from private duties to respond to the notification which you brought me on June 20 of my nomination for the office of President of the United States by the Republican national convention. I accept the nomination and am grateful for the approval expressed by the convention of the acts of my administration. I have endeavored without wavering or weariness so far as the direction of public affairs was committed to me, to carry out the pledges made to the people in 1888. If the policies of the administration have not been distinctively and progressively American and Republican the fault has not been in purpose, but in execution. I shall speak frankly of the legislation of Congress and of the work of the executive departments, for the credit of any success that have been attained is in such measure due to others, Senators and Representatives, and to the officers heads of the several executive departments, that I may do so without impropriety. A vote of want of confidence is asked by our adversaries; and this challenge to a review of what has been done we promptly and gladly accept. The great work of the Fifty-first Congress has been subjected to the revision of the Democratic House of Representatives, and the action of the executive department is its scrutiny and investigation. The Democratic national administration was succeeded by a Republican administration, and the freshness of the events gives them a fair basis for comparison and judgment.

There has seldom been a time, I think, when a change from the declared policies of the Republican party to the declared policies of the Democratic party involved such serious results to the business interests of the country. A brief review of what has been done, and of what the Democratic party proposes to do, will justify this opinion.

SOUND CURRENCY.

What Is Meant by a Return to the Use of State Bank Notes.

The Republican party during the Civil War devised a national currency consisting of United States notes issued and redeemable by the government of the United States, and bonds upon the security of United States bonds. A tax was levied upon the issue of State banks and the intended result, that no such issues should be withdrawn, was realized. There are men among us now who never saw a State bank note. The notes issued, directly or indirectly, by the United States have been the only safe and acceptable paper currency of the people. Bank failures have brought no fright, delay or loss to bill-holders. The note of an insolvent bank is as good and current as a treasury note, for the credit of the United States is behind it. Our money is all national money—I might almost say international, for these bills are not only accepted at their nominal value throughout our entire country, but are in some foreign countries as well. The Democratic party, if intrusted with the control of the Government, is now pledged to repeal the tax on State bank issues, with a view to putting into circulation again, under such diverse legislation as the States may adopt, a host of local bank issues. Only those who had money before the war, experienced the inconveniences and losses attendant upon the use of such money, can appreciate what a return to that system involves. The denomination of a bill was then often no indication of its value. The bank director of yesterday was not a safe guide to-day as to credit or value. The merchants deposited several times during the day, in the hour of the bank closing should place a depreciation of the money taken in the morning. The traveler could not use, in a journey to the East, the issues of the most solvent bank of the West, and in consequence the money changer's office was a feature established in every city. Commerce the limits contract. The farmer paid the laborer found the money received for their products or their labor depreciated when they came to make their purchases, and the whole business of the country was hindered and blunded.

Changes may become necessary, but the national system of a currency that is safe and acceptable throughout the whole country is the fruit of bitter experience, and I am sure our people will not consent to the experimental proposal made by the Democratic party.

OCEAN COMMERCE.

How America Can Recover the Share of It She Has Lost.

Few subjects have elicited more discussion or excited more general interest than that of the recovery by the United States of its appropriate share of the ocean carrying trade. This subject touches not only our pockets, but our national pride. Practically all freights for transporting to Europe the enormous annual supplies of provisions furnished by this country, and for the large return of manufactured goods for many years have been paid to foreign ship owners. The thousands of immigrants annually seeking homes under our flag have been denied the sight of it until they entered Sandy Hook, while the increasing thousands of American citizens bent on European travel have each year stepped into foreign jurisdiction at the New York dock.

The merchandise balance of trade the treasury books show is largely reduced by the annual tribute which we pay for freight and passage money. The great ships, the fastest upon the sea, which are now in peace producing by our trade, are in a secondary sense warships of their respective Governments, and in time of war subject, under existing contracts with those Governments, speedily take on guns, for which their decks are already prepared, and enter with terrible efficiency into the work of destroying our commerce. The undisputed fact is that the great steamship lines of Europe were built up and are now in part sustained by direct or indirect Government aid, the latter taking the form of life mail pay for carrying the mails or an annual bonus given in consideration of an agreement to construct the ships so as to adapt them for carrying armament and to turn them over to the Government on demand upon specified terms.

It was plain to every intelligent American that if the United States could have such lines established under its flag, they would be operated upon. The Fifty-first Congress accordingly enacted such a law, and under its beneficent influence sixteen American steamships, of the aggregate tonnage of 56,401 tons, and costing $1,600,000, have been built or contracted for in American shipyards. In addition to this it is practically certain that we shall soon have under the American flag one of the fastest steamships ever built out of New York for any European port. This contract will result in the construction by American yards of four new passenger steamships of 10,000 tons each, costing about $4,000,000, and will add to our naval reserve six steamships, the fastest upon the sea.

Special interest has been taken by me in the establishment of lines from our South Atlantic and gulf ports, and, though my expectations have not yet been realized, attention has been called to the advantages possessed by these ports, and we can their people are more fully alive to the importance of the work. I do not doubt that they will be able to use the capital needed to enable them to profit by their great natural advantages.

The Democratic party found no place in its platform for reference to this subject, and its leaders have hostility to the several propositions made by the Democratic party.

OCEAN COMMERCE.

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"That when Custom-house taxation is levied upon articles of any kind produced in this country, the difference between the cost of labor here and abroad, which such a difference exists, fully measures any possible benefits to labor, and the enormous additional impositions of the existing tariff fall with crushing force upon our farmers and workingmen."

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Reciprocity, of course, falls under denunciation, for its object and effect are not revenue, but the promotion of commercial exchanges, the profits of which go wholly to our producers.

This destructive, un-American doctrine is not held or taught by the thinkers Democratic statesmen whose fame as American patriots reached this generation. Certainly it was not held by Jefferson or Jackson.

This mad crusade against American shops, these bitter epithets applied to American manufacturers, this persistent disbelief of every report of the opening of tinplate mills or of the increase of our foreign trade by reciprocity, are as surprising as they are disheartening. There is not a thoughtful but loss man in the country who does not know that the enactment into a law of the declaration of the Chicago convention on the subject of the tariff would at once plunge the country into a business convulsion such as it has never seen; and there is not a thoughtful workingman who does not know that it would at once enormously reduce the amount of work to be done in this country by the increase of importations that would follow and necessitate the reduction of his wages to the European standard.

If any one suggests that this radical policy will not be executed if the Democratic party attains power, what shall be thought of a party that is capable of thus trifling with great interests. The threat of such legislation would be only less hurtful than the fact.

A distinguished Democrat rightfully described this movement as a challenge to the protected industries to a fight to extermination, and another such rightly expressed the logic of the situation when he interpreted the Chicago platform to be an invitation to all Democrats holding even the most moderate protection views to go into the Republican party.

AN EXCELLENT LAW.

Words of Approval for the McKinley Tariff Bill.

And now a few words in regard to the existing tariff law. We are fortunately able to judge of its influence upon production and prices by market reports. The day of the prophet of calamity has been succeeded by that of the trade reporter. An examination into the effect of the law upon the prices of protected products, and of the cost of such articles as enter into the living of people of small means, has been made by the Senate Committee, composed of leading Senators of both parties, with the aid of the best statisticians, and the report, signed by all the members of the committee, has been given to the public. No such wide and careful inquiry has ever been before made. These facts appear from the report:

First—The cost of articles entering into use of those earning less than $1,000 per annum has been decreased 3½ per cent, while in farm products there has been an increase in prices owing in part to the increased foreign demand and the opening of new markets. In England during the same period the cost of living has increased 1.9 per cent. Tested by the power of purchase of articles of necessity, the earnings of our working people have in ver been as great as they are now.

Second—There has been an average advance in the rate of wages of 7.6 of 1 per cent.

Third—There has been an advance in the price of all farm products of 19.67 per cent and of all cereals of 31.20 per cent.

The ninth annual report of the Chief of the Bureau of Labor statistics of the State of New York, a Democratic officer, very recently issued, strongly corroborates as to that State the facts found to exist by the Senate Committee. His extended inquiry shows that in the year immediately following the passage of the tariff act, 1890, the aggregate sum paid in wages in that state was $6,277,955 in excess, and the aggregate production $31,315,120 in excess of that of the preceding year.

In view of this showing of the increase in wages, of the reduction in cost of articles of common necessity, and of the marked advance in the prices of agricultural products, it is plain that the tariff law has not imposed burdens, but has conferred benefits upon the farmer and the workingman.

MAKING TINPLATE.

How Welsh Manufacturers Have Heretofore Controlled the Market.

Some of the special effects of the act should also be noticed. It was a courageous attempt to rid our people of a long-maintained foreign monopoly on the production of tinplate, pearl buttons, silk plush, linens, lace, etc. Once or twice had the production of tinplate been attempted. But the price obtained by Welsh makers would have enabled our makers to produce it at a profit. But the Welsh makers at once cut the prices to a point that drove American beginners out of the business, and when this was accomplished they again made their own prices.

A correspondent of the Industrial World, the official organ of the Welsh tinplate workers, published at Swansea, in the issue of June 10, 1892, advises a new trial of these methods. He says: "You not be deceived. The victory of the Republicans in the public means the retention of the McKinley bill and means a rapidly accruing loss of 50 per cent of the export American trade. Be not deceived. Democratic victory is now the spread of tinplate manufacture in the United States would have been both rapid and bona fide. It is not yet too late to do something to reduce the price of plates. Put them down to 10 shillings per box of 20, 112 lb, full weight basis. Let the workmen take half pay for a few months and then not more. Then let the masters forego their profits for the same time."

And again, this paper says: "It is clearly to the interest of both employer and workman to produce tinplates, tariff or no tariff, at a price that will drive the competition from the field."

But in spite of the doubts raised by the election of 1890, and of the machinations of foreign producers to maintain their monopoly, the tinplate industry has been established in the United States, and the alliance between the Welsh producers and the Democratic party for its destruction will not succeed. The official returns to the Treasury Department of the production of the said tinplate plates in the United States during the last fiscal year show a total production of 13,230,535 pounds, and a comparison of the first quarter's product, 3,876,622 pounds, with that of the last, 5,094,490 pounds, shows the rapid development of the industry. Over 5,000,000 pounds of the product during the last quarter were made from American black plates, the remainder being from foreign plates.

Mr. Ayer, the tin expert in charge, estimates as a result of careful inquiry, that the production of the current year will be 20,000,000 pounds, and that by the end of the year our production will be at the rate of 30,000,000 pounds per annum.

Another industry that has been practically created by the McKinley bill is the making of pearl buttons. Few articles coming to us from abroad are so distinctly the product of starvation wages.

LABOR AND THE TARIFF.

How American Workingmen Have Been Benefited by Protection.

But without unduly extending this letter I cannot follow in detail the influences of the tariff law of 1890. It transplanted several important industries and established them beyond the reach of enlarged all others. The law gives to our miners protection against foreign silver-bearing lead ores, the free introduction of which threatened the great mining industries of the Rocky Mountain States, and to the wool-growers protection for their fleeces and flocks, which saved them from further and disastrous decline.

The House of Representatives, at its last session, passed a bill placing those ores and wool on the free list. The people of the West will know how destructive to their prosperity these measures would be.

This tariff law gives employment to many thousands of American men and women, and will each year give employment to increasing thousands. Its repeal would throw thousands out of employment and give work to others only at reduced wages. The appeals of free-traders to the workingmen are largely addressed to his prejudices or his passions, and are not infrequently pronounced by commonplace. The new Democratic leadership rises at the employer and seeks to demonstrate his wrongs to the employe. I greatly regret that all employers of labor are not just and considerate, and that capital sometimes takes too large a share of the profits. But I do not see that these evils would be ameliorated by a tariff policy, the first necessary effect of which is a reduction in wages and the second a large diminution of the aggregate amount of work to be done in this country. If the injustice of his employer leads the workman to strike back, he should be very sure his blow does not fall upon his own head or upon the head of his wife or his children.

The workmen in our great industries are, as a body, remarkable for intelligence and honors of home and country. They may be misled by injustice or what seems to them to be such, or be led for a moment by others into acts of passion; but they will settle the tariff contest in the calm light of their November freedom, and with sole reference to the prosperity of the country of which they are citizens and of the homes they have founded for their wives and children.

No intelligent advocate of protective tariff claims that it is able of itself to maintain a uniform rate of wages without regard to the fluctuations in the supply of, and the demand for, the products of labor; but it is confidently claimed that protective duties strongly tend to hold up wages, and are the only barrier against the reduction to the European scale.

EFFECT IN THE SOUTH.

The States Have Profited by the Law, Though Opposed to It.

The Southern States have had a liberal participation in the benefits of the tariff law, and though their representatives have generally opposed the protection policy, I rejoice that their sugar, rice, coal, ores, iron, fruits, cotton cloths and other products have not been left to the fate which the votes of their representatives would have brought upon them.

In the construction of the Nicaragua canal, in the new trade with South and Central America, in the establishment of American steamship lines, these States also have special interests, and all these interests will not always consent to be without representation at Washington.

Shrewdly, but not quite fairly, our adversaries speak only of the increased duties imposed upon tin, pearl buttons and other articles by the McKinley bill, and omit altogether any reference to the great and beneficial enlargement of the free list. During the last fiscal year $456,000,772 worth of merchandise, or 55.35 per cent of our total importations, came in free, the largest percentage in our history, while in 1892 the percentage of free importations was only 24.42 per cent. The placing of sugar upon the free list saved to the consumer in duties in 18 months, after paying the bounties provided for, $47,000,000. This relief has been substantially felt in every household, upon every Saturday's purchase of the workingman.

One of the favorite arguments against a protective tariff is that it drives us will from participation in what is called, with special emphasis, the "markets of the world." If this view is not a false one, how does it happen that our commercial competitors are not able to beat with more severity our supposed surrender to them of these "markets of the world," and how does it happen that the partial loss of our market closes the foreign tinplate mills and plush factories that still have all the other markets?

Our natural advantages, our protective tariff and our reciprocity policy make it possible for us to have a large participation in the "markets of the world" without opening our own to competition that would destroy the comfort and independence of our people.

SILVER COINAGE.

The Platform Is Cordially Indorsed.

The resolution of the convention in favor of bimetallism declares, I think, the true and necessary conditions of a movement that has upon these lines, my cordial adherence and support. I am thoroughly convinced that the free coinage of silver at such a ratio to gold as will maintain equality in the commercial uses of the two coined dollars would conduce to the prosperity of all the great producing and commercial nations of the world. One essential condition is that these dollars shall have and retain equal exchangeability and value in all commercial transactions. They are not only the medium of exchange, but the measure of values; and when unequal measures are called in law by the same name commerce is unsettled and confused and the unwary and ignorant are cheated. Dollars of unequal commercial value will not circulate together. The better dollar is withdrawn and becomes merchandise. The true interest of all our people, and especially of the farmers and working people who cannot closely observe the money market, is that every dollar, paper or coin, issued or authorized by the Government shall at all times and in all its uses be the exact equivalent, not only in debt-paying, but in purchasing power, of any other dollar. I am quite sure that if we should now act upon this subject independent of other nations, we would greatly promote their interests and injure our own. The monetary conditions in Europe within the last two years have, I think, tended very much to develop a sentiment in favor of a larger use of silver, and I was much pleased and encouraged by the cordiality, promptness and unanimity with which the invitation of the Government for an international conference upon this subject was accepted by all the powers. We may not only hope for but expect highly beneficial results from this conference, which will now soon assemble. When the result of the conference is known we shall then be able, intelligently to readjust our financial legislation to any conditions.

AN HONEST BALLOT.

How It Is Deemed Possible That It Could Be Secured.

In my last annual message to Congress I said: "I might yet entertain the hope that it is possible to secure the calm, patriotic consideration of such constitutional or statutory changes as may be necessary to secure the choice of officers of the Government to the people by a fair apportionment and free election. I believe it to be possible to constitute a commission, nonpartisan in membership and composed of patriotic, wise and impartial men, to whom the consideration of the questions of the evils connected with our election systems and methods might be committed with a good prospect of securing unanimity in some plan for removing or mitigating those evils. The constitution would permit the selection of a commission, or to be vested in the Supreme Court, if that method would give the best guaranty of impartiality. This commission should be charged with the duty of inquiring into the whole subject of the law of elections as related to the choice of officers of the national Government, with a view to securing to every elector the free and unmolested exercise of the suffrage, and so more an approximate equality of value in each ballot cast as is attainable. The demand that the limitations of suffrage should be found in the ballot, and only there, is a just demand, and no just man should resent or resist it.

It seems to me that an appeal to our people to repeal the election of repealing our legislation upon absolutely fair, non-partisan lines might find some effective response. Many times I have had occasion to say that laws and election methods designed to give unfair advantages to the party making them would come time be used to perpetuate in power a minority or party against the will of the majority of the people. Of this we seem to have an illustration in the recent State election in Alabama. There was no Republican ticket in the field. The contest was between white Democrats. The Kolb party say they were robbed the representation guaranteed by law upon the election boards, and when the court to have matters adjusted to right old wrongs an appeal that could not be heard until after the election made the wrong intolerable. Ballot-boxes were thrown out for alleged irregularities or were destroyed, and it is asserted on behalf of at least half of the white voters of Alabama that the officers to whom certificates had been given were not honestly elected. The remedy sought for personal or political rights. The power of the States over the question of the qualifications of electors is ample to protect them against the dangers of an ignorant or depraved suffrage, and the demand that every man found to be qualified under the law shall be made secure in his right to a free ballot and to have that ballot honestly counted should be absolute. The old Republican battle cry, "A free ballot and a fair count," comes back to us not only from Alabama, but from other States and from men who, differing from us widely in opinions, have come to see that parties and political debate are but a mockery if, when the debate is ended, the judgment of honest majorities is to be reversed by ballot-box frauds and indefensible manipulations in the interest of the party or party faction in power.

These new political movements in the States and the recent decisions of some of the State courts against unfair apportionment laws encourage the hope that the arbitrary and partisan election laws and practices which have prevailed may be corrected by the States, the laws made equal and non-partisan and the election free and honest. The Republican party would rejoice at such a solution, as a healthy and patriotic local sentiment is the best assurance of free and honest elections. I shall again urge upon Congress that provision be made for the appointment of a non-partisan commission to consider the apportionments and elections in their relation to the choice of Federal officers.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

There Has Been No Partisan Juggling With Existing Law.

The civil service system has been extended and the law enforced with vigor and impartiality. There has been no partisan juggling with the law in any of the departments or bureaus, as had before happened, but appointments to the classified service have been made impartially on the merits of the system. The system now in force in all the departments has for the first time placed promotion strictly upon the basis of merit, as ascertained by daily records, and the efficiency of the force has been thereby greatly increased.

THE NICARAGUA CANAL.

The Construction Would Greatly Benefit American Commerce.

I have often expressed my strong conviction of the value of the Nicaragua ship canal to our commerce and to our navy. The project is not one of convenience, but one of necessity, it is quite possible, I believe, if the United States will support the enterprise, to secure the speedy completion of the canal without taxing the treasury for any direct contribution, and at the same time to secure to the United States that influence in its management which is imperative.

AMERICAN PORK.

Calling the Attention of Farmers to the Wisdom of Republican Rule.

The considerate attention of the farmers of the whole country is invited to the work done through the State and Agricultural Departments in the interest of agriculture. Our pork products were for ten years not only excluded by the great continental nations of Europe, but their value discredited by the reasons given for its exclusion. All previous efforts to secure the removal of these restrictions failed, but the wise negotiation of the Fifty-first Congress, providing for the inspection and official certification of our meats, and giving to the President power to forbid the introduction into this country of selected products of such countries as should continue to refuse our inspected meats enabled us to open all the markets of Europe to our products. The result has been not only to sustain prices by presenting new markets for our surplus, but to add 50 cents per hundred pounds to the market value of inspected meats.

Under reciprocity agreements special favors were secured for our agricultural products, and our exports of such products have been greatly increased, with a sure prospect of further and rapid increase. The Agricultural Department has maintained in Europe an agent whose special duty it is to introduce there various preparations of corn as articles of food, and the work has been very successful. The department has also sent skilled veterinarians to Liverpool to examine, in connection with the British veterinarians, the live cattle from the United States landed at that port, and the result, in connection with the sanitary methods adopted at home, has been that we hear no more about our cattle being infected with pleuro-pneumonia. A judicious system of quarantine lines has prevented the infection of northern cattle with Texas fever.

The tariff of 1890 gave better protection to the farm products subject to foreign competition than they ever had before, and the home markets for such products have been enlarged by the establishment of new industries and the development of others.

We may confidently submit to the intelligent and candid judgment of the American farmer whether, in any corresponding period, as much has been done to promote his interests, and whether in the continuance and extension of these methods there is not a better prospect offered to him than in the invitation of the Democratic party to give our home market to foreign manufacturers and to abandon the reciprocity policy, and better also than is the radical and untried methods of relief proposed by other parties which are soliciting his support.

FOREIGN POLICY.

A Matter of Pure Patriotism and of National Honor.

It has been the purpose of the administration to make its foreign policy not a matter of partisan politics, but of patriotism and of national honor; and I have very great gratification in being able to state that the Democratic members of the Committee on Foreign Affairs responded in no less American spirit. I have not hesitated to consult freely with them about the most confidential and delicate affairs, and I frankly confess my obligation for needed co-operation. They did not regard the patient but firm insistence upon American rights and upon immunity from insult and injury for our citizens and sailors in foreign ports as a policy of "irritation and bluster." They did not believe, as some others seem to believe, that to be a Democrat one must take the foreign side of every international question, if a Republican administration is conducting the American side. I do not believe that same submission to insult and outrage by any nation at the hand of any other can ever form the basis of lasting friendship. The necessary element of mutual respect will be wanting.

The Chilean incident, now so happily and honorably adjusted, will, I do not doubt, place our relations with that brave people upon a more friendly basis than ever before. This already appears in the agreement since negotiated by Mr. Egan for the settlement by a commission of long unrestled claims between the two governments.

The work of Mr. Egan has been highly advantageous to the United States, and the confidence which I reposed in him by his appointment has not been abundantly justified.

In our relations with the great European powers, the rights of the United States and of our citizens have been insisted upon with firmness. The strength of our cause, and not the strength of our adversary, has given tone to our correspondence.

The fisheries question and the Bering Sea question, which came over from the preceding administration, have been, the first by arbitration and other submitted to arbitration upon a fair basis. Never before, I think, in a like period have so many important treaties and commercial agreements been concluded, and never before, I am sure, have the honor and influence, national and commercial, of the United States been held in higher estimation in both hemispheres.

FREE SCHOOLS.

A Liberal Education and the Most Complete Religious Liberty Possible.

The approval so heartily given by the convention to all those agencies which contribute to the education of the children of the land was worthily bestowed and meets my hearty approval, as does also the declaration in favor of liberty of thought and conscience, and the separation of church and state. The safety of the republic is an intelligent citizenship and the increased interest manifested in the States in education, the school laws of which the necessary taxes are paid by all classes will, I trust, surmount the difficulties which hitherto have prevented the children in the thickly settled portions of the country from enjoying the benefits of a common school education. The demand that the qualifications of suffrage should be found in the ballot, and only there, is a just demand, and no just man should resent or resist it.

It seems to me that an appeal to our people to repeal or modification of repealing our legislation upon absolutely fair, non-partisan lines might find some effective response. Many times I have had occasion to say that laws and election methods designed to give unfair advantages to the party making them would come time be used to perpetuate in power a minority or party against the will of the majority of the people. Of this we seem to have an illustration in the recent State election in Alabama. There was no Republican ticket in the field. The contest was between white Democrats. The Kolb party say they were robbed the representation guaranteed by law upon the election boards, and when the court to have matters adjusted to right old wrongs an appeal that could not be heard until after the election made the wrong intolerable. Ballot-boxes were thrown out for alleged irregularities or were destroyed, and it is asserted on behalf of at least half of the white voters of Alabama that the officers to whom certificates had been given were not honestly elected. The remedy sought for personal or political rights. The power of the States over the question of the qualifications of electors is ample to protect them against the dangers of an ignorant or depraved suffrage, and the demand that every man found to be qualified under the law shall be made secure in his right to a free ballot and to have that ballot honestly counted should be absolute. The old Republican battle cry, "A free ballot and a fair count," comes back to us not only from Alabama, but from other States and from men who, differing from us widely in opinions, have come to see that parties and political debate are but a mockery if, when the debate is ended, the judgment of honest majorities is to be reversed by ballot-box frauds and indefensible manipulations in the interest of the party or party faction in power.

These new political movements in the States and the recent decisions of some of the State courts against unfair apportionment laws encourage the hope that the arbitrary and partisan election laws and practices which have prevailed may be corrected by the States, the laws made equal and non-partisan and the election free and honest. The Republican party would rejoice at such a solution, as a healthy and patriotic local sentiment is the best assurance of free and honest elections. I shall again urge upon Congress that provision be made for the appointment of a non-partisan commission to consider the apportionments and elections in their relation to the choice of Federal officers.

UNDESIRABLE EMIGRANTS.

Paupers, Criminals and Anarchists Have No Place Here.

The necessity for careful discrimination among the emigrants seeking our shores each comes every day more apparent. We don't want and should not receive those who, by reason of bad character and habits are not wanted at home. The industrious and self-respecting the lovers of law and liberty should be discriminated from the pauper, the criminal and the anarchist, who come only to burden and disturb our communities.

Every effort has been made to enforce the laws, and some convictions have been secured under the contract labor law.

A. W. PETRKA, Proprietor.

A PROSPEROUS TIME.

The Experts of the Country Have Increased Greatly.

The general condition of our country is one of great prosperity. The blessing of God has rested upon our fields and upon our industries. The annual value of our foreign commerce has increased more than $1,000,000,000 over the average for the preceding ten years, and more than $200,000,000 over 1890. During last year, unaudited by the new tariff, our exports in 1892 exceeded those of 1890 by more than $172,000,000, and the annual average for ten years $35,000,000. Our export of breadstuffs increased over those of 1890 more than $144,000,000, of provisions over $4,000,000, and of manufactures over $8,000,000.

The merchandise balance of trade in our favor in 1892 was $202,844,342. No other nation can match the commercial progress which those figures disclose, and our companion may well count to them whose party necessities and habits still compel to declare that our people are oppressed and our trade restricted by a protection tariff.

It is not possible for me to refer, even in the briefest way, to many of the topics presented in the resolutions adopted by the convention. Upon all that have not been discussed I have before publicly expressed my views.

A change in the personnel of the national administration is of comparatively little moment. If those exercising public functions are not able, honest, diligent and faithful, others possessing all these qualities may be found to take their places.

But a change in the laws and in the administrative policies is of great moment. When public affairs have been given direction and business has adjusted itself to those lines, any sudden change involves the stoppage and new business adjustments. If the change of direction is to be radical as to bring the commercial turntable into use, the business changes involved are not readjustments, but reconstruction.

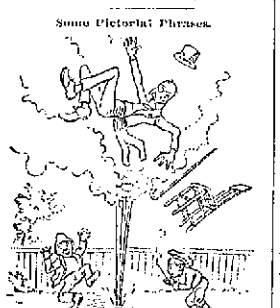
The Democratic party offers a programme of demolition. The protective policy—to which all business, even that of the importer, is now adjusted; the reciprocity policy; the new merchant marine, are all to be demolished, not gradually, not taken down, but blown up. To this programme of destruction is added our constructive feature, the re-establishment of State banks of issue.

The policy of the Republican party, on the other hand, is distinctly a policy of safe progression and development, of new factories, new markets and new ships.

It will subject business to no perilous changes, but offers attractive opportunities for expansion upon familiar lines. Very respectfully yours,

BENJAMIN HARRISON.

A Juvenile Plunger.



"What's the matter, my poor boy?"
"Bo-hu-o! I jest lost tuppence!"
"There, there, don't cry, my little man. See, here is threepence for you. How did you lose your money?"
"I lerst it to Tommy Jinks, there, a-playin pitch an tors."—Judy.

Some Pictorial Phrases.

"RAISING THE VERY OLD BOY."

A GOOD START.

ANOTHER "AFFAIRE DE CŒUR."
—Life.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Webster Bro's, City Drug Store, corner K and Mariposa street, Fresno.

Fresno-Merced County Lands

TO RENT

And for Sale!

75,000 ACRES OF WHEAT AND SUGAR beet land in the above counties to rent for a term of years; also 150,000 acres of the raisin, fruit, alfalfa and sugar beet land, with water for irrigation, for sale in tracts of 20 acres to large tracts, suitable for colony purposes. For further particulars apply to

E. B. PERRIN,

402 Kearny St., San Francisco.

Toll House Stage Line

THIS STAGE LEAVES FRESNO

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from Fahey's Hotel at 6.30 a.m. for Toll House and all important places of resort on Pine Ridge, including Kenyon's, Ockendun's, Musick's Mills, Humphrey's or Davis Mill, Bear Mill and Madera.

Stage stops on route going up at place known as Hogues, or Latcher postoffice, 24 miles from Fresno; 30 minutes for dinner and refreshments at Davis Mill. Stage returns from Pine Ridge and Toll House to Fresno Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, arriving in Fresno 2 p.m. Stage will call for passengers inside city limits.

Special attention given to the welfare and comfort of passengers.

All business intrusted to my care promptly attended to, with moderate charges. Baggage to be called on there, properly addressed and left at office. Office at Fahey's Hotel.

A. W. PETRKA, Proprietor.

THE VOTE FOR PRESIDENT.

For the assistance of subscribers to the Daily and Weekly REPUBLICAN who desire to make up their estimates of the result of the approaching election, the following figures are given:

POPULAR VOTE.

Grover Cleveland	5,556,228
Benjamin Harrison	5,440,216
Clinton B. Fiske (Prohibition)	219,095
Alson J. Streeter (Union Labor)	143,105
K. M. Cowdy (United Labor)	2,886
James L. Curtis (American)	1,591

ELECTORAL VOTE.

Cleveland	168
Harrison	238

THE VOTE IN CALIFORNIA.

Cleveland	117,729
Harrison	124,816
Fiske (Prohibition)	5,701
Curtis (American)	1,591

FIDELITY IN FRESNO.

Cleveland		2,820
Harrison		2,481
Shortt	Hamilton	2687
	Hensley	2339
	Williams	2346
Clerk	Clark	2743
	Breece	2765
Recorder	Bell	2324

Political Announcements.

REPUBLICANS.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Justice of the Peace, 3d Twp.,
H. Z. AUSTIN.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Tax Collector.
J. W. McLAUGHLIN.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Constable, Third Township
Present Incumbent.
GEORGE MATHESON.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Supervisor, Third District
F. P. WICKERSHAM.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Coroner
DR. M. V. YANCEY.
Election November 8th. Your support is respectfully solicited.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Surveyor of Fresno County
GEO. L. HOXIE.
Election November 8, 1892. Your support is respectfully solicited.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE.
—For—
Recorder of Fresno County,
W.W.MACHEN.
Election Nov. 8, 1892.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE.
—For—
Treasurer of Fresno County,
ELI HENDERSON.
Election Nov 8.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Assemblyman, 62d District,
WRIGHT D. BRESEE.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Sheriff of Fresno County.
JAY SCOTT.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE.
—For—
Constable, Third Township,
WILLIAM SHAW.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Justice of the Peace, 3d Twp
GEO. W. JONES.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
County Clerk
W. A. SHEPHERD.

REGULAR REPUBLICAN NOMINEE
—For—
Auditor
G. N. FREMAN.

DEMOCRATS.

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE
—For—
Justice of the Peace, 3d Twp
W. D. CRICHTON.
Election on Tuesday, November 8, 1892.

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE
—For—
Coroner of Fresno County
L. O. STEPHENS.
Election November 8, 1892.

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE
—For—
Sheriff of Fresno County,
J. M. HENSLEY.
Election Tuesday, November 8.

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE
—For—
District Attorney
EDGAR S. VAN METER
Election on Tuesday, November 8, 1892.

REGULAR DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE
—For—
Justice of the Peace, 3d Twp
Fresno County
DANTE R. PRINCE.
Election to be held Tuesday, November 8, 1892.

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Additional Local on 1st and 4th Pages

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY
Trains leave Fresno

GOING SOUTH.

5.50 p.m.—Atlantic Express, No. 12.
11.45 p.m.—Fresno Passenger No. 15.
12:40 a.m.—Los Angeles Express No. 17.

GOING NORTH.

3.30 a.m.—Fresno Passenger, No. 16.
12.10 p.m.—Pacific Express, No. 20.
2.10 a.m.—Los Angeles Express, No. 18.
11.45 a.m.—Pacific Express, No. 20.

VIA COLLIS.

11.55 p.m.—Los Angeles Express, No. 17, south bound.
2.35 a.m.—Los Angeles Express, No. 18, north bound.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

FRESNO & POSO.
(Via Porterville.)

Train leaves Fresno daily at 5.30 p.m. and 7 a.m on Wednesdays.
Leaves Poso at 8.40 a.m. Thursdays.
Leaves Porterville at 6.30 a.m. daily, and at 11 or 11.30 p.m. Thursdays.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Fresno, Oct. 22.—Observation taken at 5 p. m.

Temperature	77
Dew Point	38
Humidity (per cent)	20
Wind NW (miles per hour)	8
Maximum Temperature for past 24 hours	85
Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours	45
Rainfall	0
Total rainfall for season	T

JOHN R. WILLIAMS, Observer.

EVENTS.

TOMORROW.

"Tangled Up" at the Barton.

TO COME.

October 25—World's Fair Commission.
October 27—"After Dark" at the Barton.
October 28—Leo J. Beauchamp, Prohibition meeting.
October 25—Dr. Chester Rowell and Frank H. Short at Easton hall.
October 31—City Council, 7 p.m.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

"Malrose."

Sperry's Stockton flour.

Sperry's Stockton flour is best.

School books at South & Fentem's.

Fresh city vegetables, Seropian Bros.

Columbia Bicycles, A. C. Banta, agent.

Victor Bicycles, A. H. Greeley, agent.

Nobody saw Sontag and Evans yesterday.

One carload of produce due at Seropian Bros.

Monday is the last day for registration.

One day only—Apples at 2½ cents at Seropian Bro's.

Raisins packers wanted at Butlers. See advertisement.

The county clerk has decided to receive registrations today.

Those tailor made cheviot overcoats at Hermann's for $15 are daisies.

Every day at Mitrovich's restaurant, excellent dinner; don't miss it.

Mantels, tiles and grates at Baird's mantel factory, 2323 Fresno street.

Re-opened—Ratto's Rotisserie, by A. Boetner. Best cooking and finest service in town.

D. W. Parkhurst has filed a cross complaint in the case of Strobridge against Parkhurst.

Dr G. L. Long, Homœopathic physician. Bradley Block, corner J and Mariposa streets.

Wanted — Early Monday morning, women and girls at Williams, Brown & Co.'s packing house.

Send your estimates on the election to THE REPUBLICAN office; you may secure a very valuable premium.

A gas engine can be run on 2 cents per hour per horse power. See one in operation at 2323 Fresno street.

The Cotton club will give its first entertainment of the season at Edgerly hall, Tuesday evening, October 25th.

Dr. Ferris of San Francisco will occupy the pulpit at the Christian church. A rich treat in store for the congregation.

A full line of small instruments and strings, best quality at low figures. New music store, just opened, 1040 J street.

We have some surreys and wagons which we will close out below cost. Come and be convinced. Truman, Hooker & Co.

Baptism at the Baptist church after the young people's meeting tonight. Union meeting at Advent church to follow.

The sentence of G. D. Gaetano, convicted of burglary, was continued until Monday morning by Judge Holmes yesterday.

A. A. Smith got judgment against W. J. Barry yesterday in Judge Harris' court. The action was brought to foreclose a mortgage.

If the person who borrowed a saddle at the City Stables about six weeks ago, will please return same they will confer a favor on the owner.

Everybody is invited to attend the services at the Advent church today at 3.30. Seats will be reserved for boys between 12 and 20 having tickets.

Wong Lung was arrested by Officer Ragsdale on a charge of vagrancy yesterday. The offender was put under $200 bonds, which he furnished.

In the case of Mary J. Blasingame vs. John Ramsbottom to foreclose mortgage, judgment was given by Judge Harris yesterday for the plaintiff.

The argument on motion to set aside the default of defendant in the case of Mary J. Blasingame vs. C. M. Pyke et al., was continued until Monday.

All subscribers to THE REPUBLICAN paid up to November 1st are entitled to participate in election premium contest; $800 worth of premiums to be given away.

Trays, trays, trays! The Kings River Lumber Co. can furnish 50,000 No. 1 trays on short notice, 10 cents each, f.o.b. on cars at Fresno. Telephone orders to Sanger.

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The Emmanuel Baptist church has secured a hall on the lower floor of the Spinney building, opposite the Pleasanton hotel, and services will be held hereafter in this hall.

The Kirk school, taught by E. G. Selby, was given a handsome 16-foot flag by County Superintendent Kirk on Columbus day. This school now has one of the finest flags of any school in the county.

See the fine hunting outfit at Warnekros' Pioneer Gun Store, Fiske building, Mariposa street, which goes to THE REPUBLICAN subscriber who names the next sheriff of Fresno county and estimates most closely his majority.

A warrant was issued in Justice Crichton's court yesterday for the arrest of Aubery Post, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. W. C. Knight is the complainant and the sum he alleges he was defrauded of is $40.

Rev. H. H. Rice of Oakland, who is attending the synod of the Presbyterian church in this city, will fill the pulpit of Rev. S.S. Patterson in DeWitt hall, I street, at 11.05 a.m. today. Mr. Rice is one of the leading ministers in his church. All are urged to attend.

For the finest Parisian novelities and best hairwork go to S. Strozynski depot for the only genuine and most improved hair restorers and finest of French cosmetics. Country orders promptly attended to. Address S. Strozynski, corner Ellis and Leavenworth street, San Francisco.

THE RAISIN MARKET

The State Association Straightens Matters.

BEARS ARE BADLY DEFEATED

All the Growers and Packers Now In Line—Cut Prices Abolished.

The meeting of the California Raisin Growers association at Iroquois hall yesterday afternoon was largely attended.

Captain C. H. Norris, the president, called the meeting to order and announced that the meeting was convened to consider what action should be taken in relation to a circular which had been scattered throughout the eastern market by parties representing themselves to be the agent of Charles W. Pike, fruit broker in San Francisco. He also said that Alex Gordon, Mr. La Rue and William Harvey, the secretary, had spent two days in Hanford and a large delegation from Hanford was expected on the noon train. Under these circumstances he suggested that the meeting adjourn to meet again at 1.30 p.m.

A resolution to this effect was carried and the meeting adjourned.

At 1.30 a large gathering of growers attended. Captain Norris, the president, called the meeting to order and the meeting proceeded at once to business.

Captain Norris addressed the meeting and stated the object of the meeting today was to hear the report of the executive committee as to the complaints that had been made to the association as to the cutting of prices in the east and to the damage being done to the raisin market by a circular which had been sent broadcast by the agents of Mr. Pike, a broker in San Francisco, and also a circular sent out by Mr. Pike himself, offering the raisin pack of Hanford, or a portion of it, the pack of Byron Jackson Bros. of Woodland, and the pack of J. M. Martin of Fresno, at considerable less than combination prices. And also complaints that had been made of the Armona Packing Co., also of Hanford, quoting through their brokers, Messrs. Meigs & Strauf, first quality London layers at a cut of 20 cents a box less than the agreed price.

He called upon the secretary to read the minutes of the last meeting which was done. They were approved.

The chairman called upon William Harvey, the secretary, for a statement of the work of the association since its last meeting. Mr. Harvey said that as far as the association knew the only strictly co-operative raisin packing house in the state that had refused to sign the agreement between the packers and the growers was the Selma packing house; that he visited the Selma packing house and interviewed the directors, who declined to give the required pledge, although they had promised verbally to sustain prices. As many of the stockholders of the company were members of the association, Mr. Holden, the president, agreed to call a mass meeting of the stockholders and growers in the district for the following Saturday, to meet a deputation from the executive committee; that at such meeting John S. Dore and himself represented the association. There was a large attendance, the meeting being held in the packing house. It resulted in a promise being given by the directors to sustain prices, they undertaking to consider at their next meeting the propriety of signing the agreement.

He added that he firmly believed that that agreement had been honestly maintained, and that the Selma pack house were not cutting prices. In consequence of telegrams and letters received from brokers in New York and Memphis, Tenn., that raisins were being offered for November shipment at a cut of 10 cents a box, he was directed by the executive committee to proceed to San Francisco and interview the packer, which he did. When he found that the statement was correct that raisins had been offered, but no sales had been effected, the packer claiming that as he understood the agreement to sustain prices was only to apply to sales made prior to the 1st of November. This was not as it was understood by all the other packers, and he at once convened a meeting in San Francisco of the principal packers, which was held at the office of Messrs. Williams & Brown, and was attended by packers who packed last year, representing about one-half of the entire pack of the state. At that meeting it was unanimously resolved that it would be disastrous to the raisin industry to cut prices. It would in no way increase the sales, and an agreement was reduced to writing and assented to by all present to maintain prices indefinitely.

But a few days after this meeting a communication was received from Messrs. Griffin & Skelley of San Francisco, inclosing a circular issued by the agent of Charles W. Pike of San Francisco, which circular had been issued broadcast through the eastern market stating that Mr. Pike had been successful in inducing large growers to name a price away below the combination, and that he (Mr. Pike) had "worked himself to death to secure this advantage for you; take it while you can," etc., etc. This circular, and another issued by Mr. Pike himself, quoted the prices for Chas. King, Hanford pack, the pack of Professor Martin of Fresno, and the pack of Byron Jackson Bros. of Woodland, at a price away below that agreed upon between the packers and growers of the state.

Messrs. Griffin & Skelley claimed that it would be impossible to sustain prices in the face of this circular, and advised that a considerable cut be at once authorized to meet these prices. The executive committee refused to authorize a cut of prices, particularly as all the packers and growers in the association consider that such a cut would cause a rejection of about 400 carloads of raisins which had been sold and not yet delivered, and a deputation from the executive committee, consisting of Alex Gordon and the secretary accompanied Mr. La Rue, president of the Fresno Raisin Packing company, proceeded to Hanford and addressed a meeting of the growers and packers which had been called for Wednesday last, and also interviewed Mr. King. The result of two meetings of the growers of Hanford and the labors of the deputation was that Mr. King had agreed to withdraw his instructions from his agent, Mr. Pike, and also that he, Mr. King, disavowed any authority given by him to Mr. Pike to issue these circulars. He agreed that henceforth he would most strictly adhere to the combination price.

The committee has every reason to believe that this agreement will be most strictly adhered to and are perfectly satisfied with the assurance that was given, and also with the assurance given to a committee of local growers by whose aid the negotiations were brought to a successful termination. He, Mr. Harvey, was happy to report that Fresno had always maintained combination prices, and as far as he knew, with the exception of a few sales made and referred to, the price had been maintained throughout the state. The deputation had also driven out to the Armona packing house, and had a long interview with the directors, and before they left Hanford the directors agreed with the deputation to withdraw their instructions from Messrs. Meigs & Strauf, which instructions had been given by them under a misconception, and they further agreed to strictly adhere to combination prices in the future.

Mr. Gordon moved, and Colonel Trevelyan of the Barton Vineyard company seconded the following resolutions:

Resolved, That this meeting of the California State Raisin Growers association, representing 42,000 acres of raisin vines, do hereby direct all those co operative raisin packing associations controlled by them and all those packers who pack their raisins on commission to continue to maintain the agreed price for raisins indefinitely for the following reasons:

First—We believe that not more than one-half of the raisins of California are sold at this date; therefore a cut at this time would mean a heavy loss on the unsold half.

Second—We also believe that many of the raisins sold are yet undelivered and will, if a cut takes place, be rejected on arrival, which will cause a heavy loss. We further believe that if the combination prices are broken at this stage it will mean confusion to the trade and utter ruin to the producers.

Resolved, That this meeting hails with satisfaction the undertaking give Charles King of Hanford and the Armona Packing company to maintain the association prices for the future.

This resolution was spoken to by Captain Norris, the chairman, who stated that he intended to stay by the association till his hair was gray. If the combination went down now it would be ruin to the industry next year.

Mr. Motherall of Hanford gave an interesting account of the efforts of the Hanford growers to sustain prices. He said he would not give a tinker's benediction for the raisin industry if combination prices were broken and raisins were sold in the eastern market this year as they were last for prices bringing the grower 1½ cents a pound. If the refractory commission packers and brokers will stand with the association the association will help them to make money, but if they cut prices the grower would wipe them out.

Robert Smith of Washington colony asked what the association were going to do this year for those growers who had not made arrangements with the co-operative companies to pack their crop who would not go to the commission packer and were selling their raisins for 2 cents a pound.

He asked why the association did not buy raisins. The questions were answered by the executive committee, who explained that the association were not in the trade, they were only helping those who helped themselves, and the avenues for disposing of raisins were opened to all alike.

Mr. Applegarth, President of the Producers' Co-operative Packing company, addressed the meeting. He said that his company had sixty agents in the eastern markets selling their raisins and that most of them wrote urging that the combination prices be sustained as the only means to give confidence and firmness to the market, and it was less difficult to sell raisins on a firm market than on a competing market, as then everyone waited for some one to quote a lower price.

The resolution was then put and carried.

Mr. Fowler moved the following resolution:

Whereas, A circular issued at Chicago, Ill., bearing date of September 29, 1892, has been circulated throughout the raisin market of the United States, and

Whereas, The above circular is false in fact and false in the use of the term "trust" and "trust prices," and its advice to eastern buyers is misleading and treacherous, and

And whereas, The salvation of the raisin industry of California and equally the interest of the consumer of the raisins in the United States, demands that the minimum prices fixed by the Raisin Growers' association of California be honestly maintained; therefore be it

Resolved, That the raisin growers of California assembled in general meeting at Fresno October 22, 1892, do unanimously condemn the above mentioned circular and condemn the business method of C. W. Pike of San Francisco, who is said to be responsible for its issuance, and condemn those packing firms and agents and brokers who are seeking to gain a temporary pecuniary advantage to themselves by the above methods, who while so doing are inflicting an irreparable damage to every raisin producer and packer in the state; be it further

Resolved, That we urge every raisin grower to be faithful to the association, and do his part in rescuing this great industry from ruin by refusing to sell or support or countenance those packing firms or their agents, who are attempting to cut prices below the minimum agreed upon by this association; and be it further

Resolved, That we regret that any one should be allowed to publish that C. W. Pike, raisin broker of California, was contemptible enough to work himself to death to secure advantages for the trade and thereby bring ruin on the raisin industry of California.

This resolution was seconded by A. H. Powers.

It was reported to the meeting by the Traver Packing company that they had employed Mr. Pike to handle their pack at combination prices. He sent them an order for a carload of raisins at cut prices, which they declined to confirm, then wrote them a second order for another carload, telling them that he could not sell at combination prices and they immediately withdrew their agency from him, since which he has not handled their pack.

The resolution was put to the meeting and carried.

Mr. Williams moved that the secretary be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to every broker and packer in the state, and also every raisin grower. Carried.

Mr. Gordon said that the association had none but the kindest feelings toward Mr. Pike, and moved that thanks of the meeting be tendered to him for gracefully accepting the situation and coming in and joining with the other packers in keeping up prices. Meeting adjourned at 5 o'clock.

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A Little History for Democrats to Read.

FREE TRADE IN THE PAST

Jacksonian Democrats Defeated it in 1832—A Display to Ponder Upon.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN.—I wish I were an artist. I would like to present to the world the leading idea of our national campaign.

Away in the distance I would picture John C. Calhoun; on his shoulders I would have an immense sack filled with the leading thought of his life; I would label it from the "Articles of Nullification":

1832.

ORDINANCE OF NULLIFICATION.

"Whereas, The congress of the United States, by various acts purporting to be acts laying duties and imports on foreign imports, but in reality intended for the protection of manufactures * * * hath exceeded its powers under the constitution."

Underneath I would say:

"Defeated by Jackson and the American people."

Then on approach nearer to us I would have Jefferson Davis—would have him loaded with a similar sack and would have it labeled:

1861.

CONFEDERATE CONSTITUTION.

"Nor shall any duties or taxes on importations from foreign nations be laid to promote or foster any branch of industry."

Underneath this I would say:

"Beaten and surrendered to the people of the United States at Appomatox Court House, 1865."

Then in the foreground, representing the living present, I would have Grover Cleveland laden with the same sack, and would have it labeled:

1892.

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

"We declare it to be a fundamental principle of the Democratic party that a federal government has no constitutional power to enforce and collect tariff duties except for the purpose of revenue only."

Underneath this I would write:

"To be acted upon by the people of our nation November 8, 1892."

PROTECTED REPUBLICAN.

KINGSBURG ITEMS.

A Rifle Club Organized—Republican Candidates Speak.

Leo J. Beauchamp, the Prohibition orator, entertained a large audience here last night. He said the Prohibitionists can do one thing at a political meeting, and that is to take up a collection.

W. D. Breese was in town during the week, as were Jay Scott and G. N. Freeman.

The bank of Kingsburg will endeavor to have John Elder's insolvency nullified.

A rifle club has been organized with a good membership. Negotiations are in progress with a view to securing the use of Davis' warehouse for a target.

A number of carloads of granite have been sent out here from Raymond, to be used by the Emigrant Ditch company in building a dam in Cole slough.

A dance was given at the Kingsburg hotel on Wednesday.

S. O. Lillie was in town yesterday.

J. W. Traber of River Bend is visiting the burgh. KING BURGHER.

Kingsburgh, October 22, 1892.

IT WAS UNANIMOUS.

Jones Declined and Riggins Was Elected Without Opposition.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Will you kindly allow me to correct an error in your report of the meeting of the Fresno Volunteer Fire department in Saturday morning's issue.

I had the honor of being nominated for the position of second assistant chief engineer, but declined the nomination, and there was but one vote cast and that was the unanimous vote of the department for Mr. Riggins. J. D. JONES.

If you wish to secure a certain and speedy result, when using Ayer's Sarsaparilla, be careful in observing the rules of health, or the benefit may be retarded. A fair and persistent trial of this medicine never fails, when the directions are followed. *

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A SLANDER REFUTED.

Lyman Trumbull Comes to the Defense of Firman Church.

A friend of Firman Church after reading Senator Goucher's charge that Mr. Church worked in the law office of Lyman Trumbull as an amanuensis merely or as a cleaner of spittoons, wrote to Mr. Trumbull recently in regard to the matter and received the following reply:

LYMAN TRUMBULL. PERRY TRUMBULL.

L. & P. TRUMBULL,
LAWYERS,
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Telephone 1098.
CHICAGO, ILL.

CHICAGO, October 17, 1892.

Dear Sir—In reply to your note it gives me pleasure to say that Hon. Firman Church was for several years a partner of mine in the practice of law. Our relations were always pleasant, and in all his dealings with me he acted the part of an upright and honorable gentleman, as he did with all others so far as I ever knew or heard. Yours very truly,

LYMAN TRUMBULL.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Tangled Up" and "After Dark" at the Barton.

"Tangled Up," the comedy which is to be presented by De Lange and Rising and their excellent company at the Barton opera house, Monday, October 24th, is an adaptation of La Grave's French play, "Qui est Maitre Loi," and Americanized by Messrs. Rising and DeLange. It is described as a delightful absurdity for laughing purposes only, and has an ingenious and amusingly complicated plot that naturally suggests the title, for three couples are brought into confusion by a missing "crip," duplication of names, a moonlight ride and two babies. The play is said to differ from the farce comedy, so-called, of the present day, for while the motive is farcical, the treatment is something like that of the vaudeville of the olden times. Preceding the comedy, will be given as a curtain raiser, a delicate trifle, entitled, "Why?" written by Burr McIntosh, an ex-newspaper man, whose Colonel Moberly in "Alabama" was one of the features of that delightful idyl.

The company who support Messrs. De Lange and Rising comprise the following players: Alex Clark, the talented young comedian; Agnes Stone, sister of Marie Stone of the Bostonians, a charming comedienne and possessor of a fine mezzo soprano voice; Lottie Mortimer, the petite soubrette and dancuse, will introduce in the comedy the much-talked of serpentine dance; Gilbert Gregory, formerly of Henry Dixey's "Adonis" company; Albert Brown, Miss Jerrie Allaire, a charming ingenue; Lillian Cummings, a handsome young debutante, and G. R. Pollard.

There is nothing more interesting and entertaining in the theatrical line than a good strong melodrama replete with specialties, and such is Boucicault's drama of London life, "After Dark," which will be the attraction at Barton opera house Thursday, October 27th. This stirring play needs no fulsome commendation. Its own intrinsic merit is sufficient to insure the favor of all lovers of melodramas, pure in tone, human in its development of character and yet presenting phases of life which, while startlingly real, are wonderfully true to nature. To see it once generates a desire to witness additional repetitions, and with each the interest in the play grows. In the construction of the piece there are introduced features of a decidedly novel and interesting nature, notably the realistic London music hall scene, which serves as a vehicle for the introduction of a host of vaudeville stars.

Don't commit suicide on account of your "incurable" blood diseases. The sensible thing for you to do is to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If that fails, why then—keep on trying, and it will not fail. The trouble is, people get discouraged too soon. "Try, try, try again." *

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Removal Notice.

Drs. G. A. and Jessie D. Hare have removed their office and sanitarium treatment rooms from 1352 M street to Fiske block. Office, room 26, treatment parlors adjoining. Residence, 837 R street.*

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REPUBLICAN ANNOUNCEMENTS!

There will be meetings under the auspices of the Republican County Central Committee at

Academy.....October 24th
Jefferson School House.....October 25th
Centerville School House.....October 26th
Clark's Valley School House.....October 27th
Mill Creek School House.....October 28th
Sequoia Mills.....October 29th
Squaw Valley School House.....October 31st
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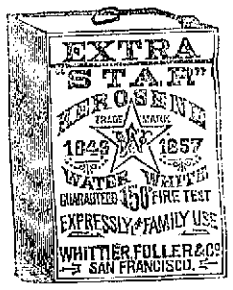

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A GOOD DAY'S WORK

By the Presbyterian Synod Yesterday.

SERMON BY REV. DR. M'KENZIE

Various Committees Make Their Reports—Interesting Services to Be Held Today.

The Presbyterian ministers believe in early rising and punctuality, which accounts for the holding of their meetings on schedule time. The attendance at the synod yesterday morning was large, as usual, and considerable business was transacted. After devotional exercises lasting three-quarters of an hour, the minutes of the meeting of the previous day were read and approved.

The permanent committee on systematic beneficence made a report which was adopted.

The orders of the day were then taken up and the report of the Women's Occidental board of foreign missions was read by Mrs. I. M. Condit, the corresponding secretary.

The report dealt chiefly with the Chinese mission in San Francisco, and stated that the present accommodations are too small for the work that is being done. The amount of money required to make the necessary improvements is $5000. Of this amount $1627 have been subscribed, David Jack of Monterey subscribing $1000. The treasurer's report was read by Mrs. Hills. The synod was addressed by Mrs. P. D. Brown, the president of the board.

The meeting adopted the following: "The synod having heard the report of the officers of the Occidental board, expresses its high appreciation of the very important work done by the women, and its profound and practical sympathy with their plans concerning the new mission home, and warmly commends that enterprise to all our people."

The report of the permanent committee on temperance was made the second order of the day for this afternoon. The next order of the day, the consideration of the interests and condition of Presbyterian journalism on the Pacific coast, was then taken up and an address made by Rev. W. W. Farris D.D., editor of the Occident.

A committee of one from each Presbytery was appointed to confer with Dr. Farris and report recommending definite action of the synod in regard to the Occident. The following is the committee:

James Matthews, D. D., Rev. J. N. Dinsmore, D. D., S. Cadwalder, I. Culberg, Rev. R. M. Stevenson, Rev. G. C. Giffen and Rev. H. H. Rice.

The committee on young people's societies reported and the report was received and adopted. The committee recommended the establishment and continuance of Christian Endeavor societies in all the churches.

The synod then adjourned to meet at 2 p. m.

Dr. McKenzie's Address.

People poured into the church in the afternoon to hear the address of Rev. Dr. McKenzie, D. D. The pews were soon filled and it was found necessary to place chairs in every available space to accommodate the crowd.

Dr. McKenzie has a wide reputation as a scholar and profound speaker. He is nothing if not original. Disdaining the beaten track he delights in taking short cuts across the fields, and as he is an able logician, his talk is always interesting and often replete with agreeable intellectual surprises.

He was very sick yesterday and had it not been that he did not wish to disappoint the synod he would have remained in his room to nurse a splitting headache.

His talk was upon the Acts of the Apostles, the plan and spirit of the work and the lesson which it intended to convey. Owing to the pressure upon the space of THE REPUBLICAN this morning only a synopsis of his remarks can be given.

He began by saying that the Acts of the Apostles were in reality a history of the acts of the Lord in the dispensation of the Holy Spirit.

The first chapter is minutely careful to set forth three things. First, that Jesus is risen from the dead. The book covers fifty days, and forty of these days are devoted to a recital of the impression upon the minds of these men that Jesus was risen. Not that they saw him, or that they had a passing suspicion, but that he had repeatedly appeared to them by many infallible, indisputable, unquestionable manifestations.

As one of them said, "I did eat and drink with him." They might and might not preach that Christ was crucified, but Peter made the mind dwell largely on the fact, not so much that He was crucified, but that He was risen again. That was the one thing on which they seemed the most certain.

The second thing was that Jesus had ascended into heaven and that He had been taken up before their eyes.

The third thing was that the same Jesus would return in like manner.

How these men carried the news into the world, how they succeeded and the secret of their success are told in this book.

The ranks of the disciples were broken by the defection of Judas and they filled the vacancy by an election by lot, the last time the Christian church ever did a work of that kind by lot.

If our Christian Marys would find time in their conventions and associations and missionary societies to find the empty place of Mary's knees and pray a little more it would be a better thing for the church. If the Peters and his disciples would find the empty place of the men's knees and would pray a little more they would then have the right to ask the Marys to pray.

This is preeminently a book of the spirit. The spirit is mentioned in the Acts of the Apostles seventy-one times, and this will lead me to say some ungracious things. In this state of independencies, of Young Men's Christian associations, of young people's societies of Christian endeavor, of women's Christian temperance unions, of boys' brigades and what not, which have a legitimate task within their lines, brethren, we never ran a risk so narrow as that which now confronts us, the risk of losing sight of the importance of the divine institution which we call the church.

The spirit of Pentecost came not upon individuals, but upon the assembled body. They were all assembled together by agreement.

Has the spirit descended elsewhere since that time?

The church upon which the spirit of Pentecost descended was the living temple of believing hearts; it was not a church of wood, or brick or stone.

These organizations are doing God's work only when they are working within the lines of God's church; then they are pertinent to the issue. But when they work outside the lines of the church and make the church subservient, they are impertinent.

The speaker closed with some remarks on missionary work.

At the afternoon session of the synod the committee upon the relations between the San Francisco theological seminary and the synod reported. Action thereon was postponed for one year. A motion to instruct the committee to endeavor to secure the consent of W. S. Ladd and the synod of Oregon to the proposed change in the plan of the seminary was laid upon the table.

The committee on temperance made a report. Pending its consideration the order of the day was taken up and the synod spent fifteen in devotional exercises and then listened to a sermon by Rev. Robert MacKenzie, D.D.

The committee to examine the treasurer's accounts reported finding them correct. The report was adopted. The report of the permanent committee on foreign missions was then taken up and adopted.

The special committee to propose definite action to the synod in regard to the Occident made a report, which was adopted, as was the report of the standing committee on finance and mileage.

All excuses for absence were referred to the standing committee on leave of absence with power to act.

The report of the temperance committee on temperance was then read and pending its consideration the synod took a recess until 7 o'clock in the evening. The session closed with prayer.

A popular meeting was held in the evening in the interest of the home and foreign missions, in accordance with the report of the committee on arrangements.

Ten-minute speeches were made by a number of delegates on the subject of home and foreign missions. They were of great interest and were listened to with the closest attention.

Rev. W. B. Noble spoke on "God's Call to the Church" and Rev. Dr. Fish on the "Power of the Gospel Among the Heathen." Rev. Clelland addressed the synod on home missionary work in Kentucky, and Rev. F. D. Seward on home missionary work in California. Rev. Dr. Stevenson and others also spoke on the subject.

At the close of the popular meeting a business session of three and one-fourth hours was held.

The permanent committee on ministerial relief made a report which was adopted. The standing committee in the San Francisco Theological seminary also reported, pending the consideration of which the synod adjourned till Monday morning at 8.30 o'clock.

TODAY'S SERVICES.

Following is the program of services for today as reported by the devotional committee in connection with the meeting of the synod:

At 6.45 a.m., a praise and prayer service, led by Mr. Fish of San Francisco at the Presbyterian church.

At 11 a.m., sermon by Moderator Rev. J. Q. Adams, D.D., of San Francisco, with reception of members and communion.

At 3.30 p.m. at the Advent church, a special service for boys, in the interest of the Boys' Brigade and Everybody's Boys, conducted by the president of the Boys' Brigade in America, Dr. Adams.

At 7 30 p.m., a union mass meeting by the courtesy of other parlors of Fresno is arranged for at the Advent church. Professor R. McKenzie, D.D., San Francisco will preach. Choice music by the choir will be furnished.

THE WHIST CLUB.

First Meeting of the Season at Mrs. E. W. Risley's.

The Whist club had its first meeting of the season at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Risley last Friday evening. The occasion was a most enjoyable one and the efforts of the hospitable host and hostess were rewarded with the greatest success.

After several rubbers of the favorite game a delicate luncheon was served the guests. It was a masterpiece of culinary skill and the guests did it full justice. After the repast an impromptu spelling bee was had and much amusement resulted therefrom.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Einstein, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Church, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Miller, Misses Wheeler and Hallie Smith, Messrs. H. Z. Austin, George Jones and G. C. Freeman.

PERSONALS.

W. E. Condon is here from Hanford.

A. W. Briggs of the World's Fair city is at the Hughes.

D. W. Halloway and A. O. Erwin were up from Tulare on business.

E. Y. Garrette, wife and children of Alameda are visiting Fresno.

General John R. Kittrell of Modesto is spending a few days in Fresno.

Captain Thomas Yost has returned from a business trip to San Francisco.

H. Hoag and wife have returned from a lengthy visit to relatives in Pennsylvania.

Cyrus P. Bartnett, the brawny blacksmith of Reedley, had business in Fresno yesterday.

H. B. Loomis, representing the Sperry flour mills at Stockton, is registered at the Hughes.

Frank L. Chance, who is attending the Irvington University, is spending a few days in Fresno.

R. H. Bennett has returned to his old position with the Fresno branch of Wellman, Peck & Co.

W. L. Doty has returned from a six months' camping tour in the Sierras. He is brown and rosy.

Mrs. W. R. Hatfield, who has been visiting Mrs. George L. Hoxie the past few days, returned to her home in Oakland this morning.

W. B. Wellman of Wellman, Peck & Co., San Francisco, spent yesterday in Fresno looking after their branch house in this city.

CHURCH SERVICES.

THE GERMAN LUTHERAN church will hold service today at 2 p.m. in the Christian church at the corner of Mariposa and M streets. Services by Rev. S. Hoyer-ncke, pastor.

CHRISTIAN—Corner Mariposa and M streets. W. H. Martin pastor. Preaching at 11 a.m. Rev. Dr. W. W. Farris of San Francisco will preside. Sunday school 9.30. Young people's meeting 6.30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Union services this evening at Advent church.

EVANGEL—Services will be held every Sunday in the Masonic Temple building, corner of Tulare and I streets. Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.45 p.m. Morning topic "The Thorn in Fenly Flesh"—2 Cor. 12:78. Evening: "Reason Why Children of Christians are Very Often More Ungodly Than Others." Some other questions will be answered. All invited. J. Asbern, pastor.

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL—Corner Fresno and N streets. Rev William Lucas, rector. Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity. Holy communion at 7.30 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 a.m. Evening prayer and sermon at 7.30. The Sunday school at 9.45a.m. Wednesday evening St. Agnes Guild will meet at Miss Heim's. Wednesday evening, St. James Guild will meet at the rectory on Tuesday afternoon. Litany and Bible Lesson on Friday at 7.30 p.m.

EMANUEL BAPTIST—Spinney Block, opposite Pleasanton hotel. Sunday school will be organized at 9.30 a.m. Prayer meeting and business of importance on Wednesday evening at 7 30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST—Corner J and Merced streets. H. O. DeWitt, D. D., pastor. Residence 1034 K street. Sunday school 9.45. Mrs. J. S. Eastwood superintendent. Rev. W. Ellis, one of the oldest pastors of the synod will preach at 11. Young People's meeting at 6 o'clock. Baptism after this service. Union service at 7.30 at Advent church.

NICHOLS' HALL—Preaching every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. at Nichols' Hall on I street. Sunday school at 2 p.m. All are welcome. Rev. M. W. Fynum, pastor.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN—DeWitt hall on I street, Rev. S. S. Patterson, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a.m. F. W. Sims, superintendent. Young people's meeting at 6 45 p.m. Prayer meetings Wednesday evenings at 8 o'clock preaching at 11 a.m. by H. H. Rice of Oakland. No preaching in the evening; all invited to attend union service at Advent church.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Corner of Merced and K streets. Rev. F. H. Mather, pastor. Preaching at 11 a.m. by Rev. F. D. Sayers, secretary of missionary for Southern California. Union meeting with the synod in the evening at the Advent church. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Christian Endeavor society at 6 p.m. Sunday school at 9.30 a.m., C. R. Kemble superintendent.

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH—Corner L and Fresno streets, Rev. T. H. B. Anderson D. D., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7.45 p.m. Epworth League at 6 p.m. Sabbath school at 9.40 a.m. Rev. Dr. Dinsmore of San Jose will preach today at 11 a.m. All the young people of the church urged to be present. No service at night.

CONGREGATIONAL—Rev. Ben F. Sargent pastor. Sunday school at 9.45. Morning service at 11. Young People's meeting at 6.45. Union service at the Advent church in the evening. Rev. Robert Stevenson of Sacramento will fill the pulpit at the morning service.

COLUMBUS DAY.

PATRIOTISM IN FRESNO COLONY AND ORANGE CENTER.

A Good Exhibition by the School Children—Loyal Addresses and Enthusiasm.

FRESNO COLONY, October 22.—An opinion prevails that there was not as much enthusiasm and patriotism displayed throughout the county on Columbus Day as the occasion called for. There is just cause for such an opinion in general, but I want to stand up in defense of Fresno colony's loyalty to both Columbus and Columbia.

The day will be a memorable one in the history of our school, not only as a day of pleasure, but of profit as well.

The patrons of the school had generously provided a magnificent flag and flag pole, as well as an abundant number of smaller flags.

The official program was carried out in fine style by the pupils and G. A. R. M. B. Kellogg, commander of Atlanta post, G. A. R., added very materially to the day's exercises by delivering a beautiful and pointed address.

F. N. Miller, principal of the school, fairly surprised the audience by his eloquence and choice of words in paying tribute to Old Glory.

He touched the patriotic chord when he insisted that all immigrants to our country should become American citizens, pure and simple.

One of the practical and beautiful features of the day was a geographical exercise. It was so well carried out and so interesting that none could help but admire the work of both pupils and teacher.

There was more practical geography in that one exercise than the G.A.R.s received in a whole term in olden times.

Another beautiful feature consisted of an elaborate flag drill by thirty-six pupils. They went through the various maneuvers without a misstep.

The exercises closed with a tableau, and while preparing for the same Rev. Mr. Mather was called upon for an address. Now that was a happy thought, for the speaker was equal to the emergency, and made much merriment for his hearers and many friends for himself.

At the close of the exercises tables were spread in the schoolhouse, and a regular feast and picnic was had. The exercises were a "success," and will be a help to the school.

The teachers, F. N. Miller and Hattie Adams, deserve the great praise they received for such good work. A PATRIOT.

At Orange Center School.

Columbus Day was celebrated at Orange Center school district, Central colony, in a fitting and entertaining manner, and according to the official program issued by the president.

At 9.30 o'clock the children of the school gathered in the large assembly room, which had been appropriately decorated, and promptly at 10 the services began.

Dr. Chester Rowell delivered an instructive and interesting address to the school children and older ones present. Following him the Rev. T. H. B. Anderson offered up an earnest prayer, calling unto Him who guided our heroes through the revolutionary period and through the trials of the '60s, to guide the footsteps of our boys and girls in the honest, upright paths of life. The pupils and audience then sang with much expression the song "Columbia, My Land."

Never before in the history of Central colony has there gone forth upon the open air, more patriotic words, nor in more earnest accents than these, as sung upon this occasion:

"The fairest estate the lowly may hold,
Thy poor may grow great, thy feeble grow bold;
For worth is the watchword to noble degree,
And manhood is mighty, where manhood is free."

William Woold delivered the address, "The Morning of the Four Centuries." The ode, "Columbia's Banner," was read by Miss L. H. Hatch.

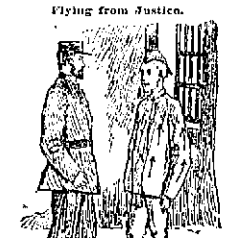
After the official program a short school program was listened to. Those taking part were Mr. Floyd Burke, Miss Lizbie Harrison, Mi s Rasmussen, Earl Hughes, Edwin Wood, Benjamin Muller.

The last and most impressive part of the program was the raising of the "Star Spangled Banner." Mr. E. Easterbrook of Fresno swung the banner upon the breeze, and while the children gathered together, surrounded in a circle by the G.A.R. veterans and parents, Captain Thomas Yost delivered the dedictory address. It was indeed a patriotic one, long to be remembered.

The scholars' faces beamed with delight, and the eyes of the heroes of the '60's were moist. The children lifted the right hand to their foreheads and salated the flag, which they in their infancy were taught to love, and now swore to protect.

After the ceremonies the ladies of the colony prepared a bountiful repast to which all did justice. Special thanks are due to Messrs. Robinson, Easterbrook, King, Russell and Thomas Yost, all Union veterans, also to Mrs. Evans, Dr. Rowell and Rev. T. H. B. Anderson. The trustees also desire to thank the ladies of the colony for their assistance in making the occasion a complete success.

Flying from Justice.



Warder—We assign men here to work with which they are familiar. If you have any special line you'd better say so, and we'll start you at once.

Convict—Thanks; I can't begin too soon—I'm an aeronaut.—Judy.

Too Great a Risk.

He (indifferently)—I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll toss a coin, and if head comes up I'll marry you.

She (by no means indifferently)—Don't. Head might come up.—Jester

We take pleasure in pronouncing the Kingan hams the equal of any in the market. We have no hesitancy in recommending them. SCHULTZ BROS.*

A Defense of the Trailing Gown.

If ever a woman might pose as a misunderstood martyr, it is she who wears the trained gown. Press and people unite in denouncing this most graceful, most artistic, most convenient and most scrupulously neat of all modes. The average gown cannot be lifted on the street—at least by any woman who has any reverence for grace; the trailing gown is made to be lifted, and its wearer is thus preserved intact from all the various horrors of street dust, so ardently described in the press.

The secret of all this atrocious misunderstanding of the train is simply that it is an emanation of the masculine intellect that cannot, alas! know by personal experience anything of its comfort. The trained gown concentrates all its weight in one place, and it is so skillfully designed and draped that at a touch it can be lifted, while the ordinary skirt, bofrilled and beflounced, needs a dozen pair of hands to raise it.

It is quite time that the claim of the trailing gown to the highest known degree of hygienic value, temporary comfort and beauty be set forth. It has been reviled long enough by those who know nothing about it.—Lilian Whiting in Boston Budget.

A Massachusetts Law Makes Trouble.

The fifty-eight hour law for women and children is already causing the displacement of women. Wright & Potter.

STILL ANOTHER.

Charles H. Goodrich, Farmer, Goes Into Insolvency.

In the superior court yesterday Charles H. Goodrich, a farmer by occupation, filed a petition asking that he be declared an insolvent debtor. His liabilities are as follows:

William Caruthers, Caruthers, $50; Martin Bros., Selma, $380; A. Barieau, Selma, $150; W. Baldwin, Selma, $180; Insurance company, Selma, $40; W. H. Dean, Kingsburg, $80; Mr. Drew, Selma, $20; Mr. Jack, Kingsburg, $16; Mrs. Cox, Selma, $80. Total, $996.

There are no assets except personal property valued at $325, which is exempt from execution.

Baseball.

Los Angeles—Los Angeles 2, Oakland 7.

San Francisco—San Jose 11, San Francisco 6.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

SATURDAY, October 21.

John L Ashley et ux to S Kello A Comstock, lot 208, Washington irrigated colony, $10.

Alfred Brown et ux to North Fork Land and Lumber company, lots 4 of sw¼ and lot 4 of sec 18; lots 1 of n w ¼ of sec 19, and described portion of lot 1, sec 19, t 8, r 23, $1.

Albert Brown et ux to John Bartram, 5 acres in sec 18, t 8, r 23.

J H Baird to Mrs H C Lewis, lots 22 and 23, blk 4, Baird's add to Selma, $850.

David Gibbons to Elisha F Gould, lots 4 of sec 16, t 13, r 11, $1000.

Marcus Pollasky et ux to H E Huntington, blk 175 Fresno, $10.

Marcus Pollasky et ux to A J Treat, lots 9 and 10, blk 60, Fresno, $10.

Marcus Pollasky et ux to A J Treat, ½ lot in w ½ of sw¼ of sec 4; n½ of n½ of se¼ of sec 5, t 13, r 21; also all lots and blks in town of Pollasky, $10.

Lida H Prather to A G Brown, lot 2, Rose's Villa homestead add to Selma, $200.

J R White to Ber J E Wentworth, lots 1 to 6, blk 102, Fresno, $10.

Sarah M McDonald to Sarette A Comstock, n½ of lots 15 to 20, blk 7, Orchard Hill add to Fresno, $5.

Sarette A Comstock et vir to John L Ashley, n ½ of lots 17 to 20, blk 7, Orchard Hill add to Fresno, $10.

The loss of flesh is a trifle. You think you need not mind it.

But, if you go on losing for some time or lose a good deal in a short time, you are running down. Is that a trifle?

Get back to your healthy weight and generally you get back to health.

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All persons having claims against Frank J. Crank, late proprietor of the Hughes, are notified to present the same in person at the office of Wilby J. Tinnin, Esq., room 16, Fiske building on Monday evening between 7 and 8 o'clock.

FINE ART ENTERTAINMENTS.

The Delights of Travel Without its Discomforts.

A course of stereopticon entertainments will be given this and next week by G. Warton James in the Congregational church.

The topics of the lectures will be, 1, The World's Fair (100 pictures); 2, Wheeling Through Europe (105 pictures); 3, The Glory of the Heavens (75 pictures); 4, The Land of the Pharoahs (75 views); the finest ever made; 5, Between the Gates (95 pictures).

The instrument is the best made, and the pictures are the best that art can produce.

The first lecture will be given on Thursday evening, the second on Saturday evening this week, and the three remaining next week. Admission to each 30 cents; course ticket $1. Children and all pupils of the public or high school 15 cents, or 50 cents for the course.

Give teething babies and feverish children Steedman's Soothing Powders. Ask for Steedman's and beware of imitations.

Pure whisky for medical use at the Bodega.

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The Fresno Canal and Irrigation company has brought suits to foreclose liens against Karl Scheller et al. and G. H. Malter et al. to compel them to pay $100 and $200 respectively, due the plaintiff for water furnished defendants for irrigation purposes.

Paradise Bitters will cure any case of Malaria. For sale by L. Burks.

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A friend in need is a friend indeed, and not less than one million people have found just such a friend in Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. If you have never used this great cough medicine, one trial will convince you that it has wonderful curative powers in all diseases of throat, chest and lungs. Each bottle is guaranteed to do all that is claimed or money will be refunded. Large bottles 50 cents and $1 at Webster Bros, City Drug Store, corner K and Mariposa street, Fresno.

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Advertisements of "Wanted," "For Sale," "For Rent," "Lost," etc., will be inserted at the rate of 5 cents a line for each insertion. No single advertisement taken for less than 25 cents. In estimating the length of each advertisement, count six words to the line for the first three lines of ordinary reading matter, and eight words to the line for all subsequent lines. Orders by mail promptly filled, but the cash should accompany each order.

WANTED—HELP

WANTED—FIVE RELIABLE LADIES TO solicit in Fresno and colonies for Vivel and other articles for the ladies. Apply room 27, Pleasant View, from 1 to 2 p.m. oc22t*

WANTED — A TAILORESS. APPLY 1739 Mariposa st. oc22t*

WANTED—FIFTY RAISIN PACKERS AT the Butler Vineyard. Train leaves Fresno depot every morning at 6:45; or apply at office of Chittenden, Olds, Sharp & Gordon, J street, near Fresno, today and until 8 a.m. tomorrow. oc22t

WANTED—CASHIER; LADY OR GENTLEman, at POOR MAN'S FRIEND. oc22t

WANTED — EARLY MONDAY MORNING, women and girls at WILLIAMS, BROWN & CO.'s Packing House. tf

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork in small family. 845 J st. oc22tf

WANTED — WOMAN FOR GENERAL housework. Apply at residence of J. W. GERHART, corner M and Kern st. oc18t

WANTED—YOURSELVES, YOUR UNCLES, your aunts and all the family to bring their eggs and butter to B. T. SCOTT. He pays the highest market price, and on groceries his prices are lower than ever before. se22ml

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework. Apply at corner of G and Tuolumne streets. se17t

WANTED — HELP FURNISHED; ALSO those requiring work to call at EUREKA Employment Bureau, 1739 Mariposa st. I. G. LEVY

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—500 NO. 1 COAL OIL CANS, AT BAIRD BROS' 10 cents each. oc20ml

WANTED—TO LEASE 40 ACRES OF GOOD land, from 2 to 4 miles from Fresno city. Address LONG BROS. CO., Fresno, Cal. oc21 5

WANTED — A POULTRYMAN, UNDERstanding thoroughly poultry in all its branches, wants to meet a reliable party with some capital to start a poultry ranch on salary or share in profits. A. TAYLAN, Fresno postoffice. oc22t*

WANTED — 500 LADIES TO BUY OUR hand-sewed French kid shoe for $3. Chicago Shoe Co., 1832 Mariposa st. se27ml

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WANTED—EVERYBODY TO KNOW THAT B. T. SCOTT has just received the finest heavy bodied New Orleans molasses ever brought to the San Joaquin Valley. se22ml

WANTED—TEAMS; PAY IN LAND. APPLY T. MANNING & McMULLEN, 901 J st. my31

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FOR RENT—LAST HOUSE ON NORTH EST., 6 large rooms, closets and pantry; good water; small barn; price $12.50 per month. Apply at house. oc20t*

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED ROOM in private family; rent reasonable. Apply at this office. oc14tf

FOR RENT—COTTAGE OF 5 ROOMS AND bath; near court house; rent $22. 1326 Kern street. oc13tf

FOR RENT—WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD two bedrooms and sitting room. 1105 cor. M and Fresno sts oc1tf*

FOR RENT—CARPETS CLEANED BY STEAM beating process; upholstering and general repairing. F. G. HERRUSH, 846 J street, opposite Kohler House. Telephone 15. se21tf

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS SUITABLE FOR housekeeping; first floor; central location. Apply at 1011 J st. jy12tf

FOR RENT—DESK ROOM, MOST CENTRAL location in town. Apply 1111 J st. je2tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—SEVERAL TONS PEACH PITS, good for planting in nursery, or will make good fuel. F. S. PHILLIPS, 1013 J st. oc22t*

FOR SALE — A LARGE SELF-FEEDING heating stove, coal burner, for one-half cost. CHURCH BROS.' Furniture Store, 2115 Fresno street. oc20t

FOR SALE—DESIRABLE BOARDING HOUSE; total sickness cause of selling; $1050. Address S. M. SPAULDING, 586 Tenth street, Oakland, Cal. oc18t2

FOR SALE—A BILLIARD TABLE; VERY cheap. Inquire at this office. oc11tf

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FOR SALE—AT B. T. SCOTT'S, THE FINEST corner feed syrup, spider-leg tea, eastern sugar cured ham, breakfast bacon and Point Reyes creamery butter, which takes the lead the world over. Barton Opera House. se22ml

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FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

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FOR SALE—EASY PAYMENTS—COTTAGE and 2 lots south L st., near packing house; will take horse, buggy or both as first payment; balance monthly payments. Address W. W. HUTCHINSON, Fowler, or F. L. MOORE at Sexter stables. oc12tf

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FOR SALE—A BARGAIN—HOUSE 6 ROOMS with 4 lots; will sell cheap without; fine lawn and shrubbery. Inquire cor. Tuolumne and Q sts. se18tf

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FOUND—THE PLACE TO BUY STOCKTON flour, sugar, cocoanut and luncheon beef; all max coffee at 25 cents per pound. Everything in proportion. Stock must be sold. Bring on your baskets, grip-sacks and vehicles and take the goods away. B. T. SCOTT Barton Opera House. se22ml

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ESTRAYED—A ROAN OR PINTO MARE, bald face, a natural pacer, no brands. Address A. J. SPRUE, box 825. oc20t

ESTRAYED — FROM W. B. ATWATER, Washington colony, bay pony, white face, both hind feet white, brands 18 in a circle on left shoulder, shows saddle marks. oc18t

TAKEN UP.

TAKEN UP—BAY HORSE; BRANDED C ON left hip. Call on E. LAUER, Orchard Hill Addition. oc23t

TAKEN UP—CAME TO MY PLACE ON Cherry avenue, Central California colony, one bay mare, with a new halter and a long rope; no brand; one white foot, white nose, breast and 50% front fat; cut with barbed wire. Owner call, prove property, pay charges and for this advertisement. GEORGE STUHOR. aug28t

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NOTICE.

Stockholders' Meeting.

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W. F. HITB, Secretary.

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S. W. KENYON,
H. R. ST. GEORGE.

Pine Ridge, Cal., September 21, 1892. se23t30

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